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6 Boat foghorns.
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JOSEPH WRIGLESWORTH.
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Saturday, 31st, 1892,
At 2 p. m. sharp, at rooms, corner View and Broad streets, (opposite Driard),
BY WARRANT
I will sell the contents of a five roomed house, consisting of sewing machine, side-board, lounge, four fine oil paintings, hanging lamps, three bed room sets, blankets, pillows and bedding effects, carpets, crockery, etc., etc.
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Bankrupt Stock
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have received instructions from the Assignees to sell by auction on the premises, 62 Government street, on
THIS DAY,
the whole of the stock in trade, plant and fixtures of R. G. Howell, bankrupt, consisting of mitering machines and tools, gold, silver, oxydized and hardwood picture and room mouldings, backing and glass, framed and unframed pictures, oil paintings, water color drawings, etchings and engravings; artists' materials, brushes, plaques, easels, fancy and holiday goods, show cases, counters, heating stove and fixtures, the whole of which will be sold without reserve. Sale commences at 2 p. m.
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B. C. Poultry, Dog and Pet Stock Association
Will hold their
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Good Pictures for a Little Price.

Cabinet Photographs, $5.00 per doz. for cash during this month, at Imperial Art Studio, 76 Yates street. *

"Our townspeople who intend visiting the Tacoma Exposition are cordially invited by the Helvetia Milk Condensing Co. to make themselves perfectly at home, around their Exhibit, which will be very attractive this year. They will have a score of young ladies serving coffee, with the Highland Brand Evaporated Cream." *

Drink Phoenix Lager Beer.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Old City Council Meet and Help to Clear the Slate.

The By-Law Regulating Connections of the City Sewerage System Passed.

The last meeting this year of the City Council was held yesterday evening, His Worship the Mayor presiding, and those present being Aldermen Hunter, Lovell, Munn, Bragg, Baker, Hall, McKillican, Humber and Styles.

The Sewerage by-law was taken up and discussed at length, the Mayor pointing out that the amendments suggested were recorded, but that it was for the Council to suggest any improvement which was practicable and in the interest of the public.

ALD. HUNTER suggested that if good sense were exercised there would be less trouble. When he heard that His Worship had pronounced—decidedly pronounced—against the present system of sewerage he was inclined to think that the by-law should be overhauled.

The Mayor said that when the separate and combined systems had been proposed he was guided by the practical opinion of the sewerage engineer.

ALD. STYLES did not approve of the by-law as outlined. A more scientific principle, such as that adopted in the old country, would meet with his approval.

ALD. MUNN predicted that there would be a larger amount of sewerage than the public would care to pay for. A scientific friend had suggested that in the case of a sewerage reservoir, the contents might be emptied, as experience had suggested, into deep water.

The report was adopted.

The Finance committee recommended, the payment of several accounts amounting to $641.25, and asked to have their checks honored for some $14,000 paid during the month.

The report was approved, as were also a number of requisitions totalling $22,700. Other requisitions amounted to $227,000, for which the approval of the council was asked and given.

ALD. HUMBER complained of several defective sidewalks, and hoped that contractors would steer a clear course.

ALD. MUNN thought that the police should call attention to street obstructions caused by builders.

The Street committee reported in favor of the payment of $75 to J. Sexsmith for injuries sustained by him by reason of an accident caused by a defective street crossing. Adopted.

The City Engineer reported having visited the alleged obstruction of St. Andrew's street, and the willingness of the obstructors to remove the obstacles complained of. It was complained that Mr. Phillips had a chicken ranch on the thoroughfare alluded to, but the "rancher" expressed his willingness to remove his stock, and on this undertaking no order was made.

Mr. J. Elliott was awarded the contract for the removal of the wooden shed at the city reservoir at $180.

The City Assessor recommended that $10,000 be expended on the extension of Broad street to the public market.

THE MAYOR explained that if there were any dispute as to the value of the property an arbitrator would be called in.

The report carried unanimously.

The resolution of the board of directors, Royal Jubilee Hospital, already published in the COLONIST, was read and the offer it contained accepted unanimously.

A number of the residents on Carr street petitioned for a sidewalk, and the communication was referred to the Street committee and City Engineer.

The residents of Oak Bay avenue petitioned to have that thoroughfare put in a safe condition, and their communication was referred to the Street committee and City Engineer.

The residents of Oak Bay and Cadboro roads also petitioned for sidewalk improvements.

ALD. HUNTER thought that the petitioners should have the work done under the Local Improvement system, a suggestion which was adopted.

THE MAYOR—What surprises me is that the Street committee should come to the council for an appropriation when they have already $16,000 to their credit for such work as this.

Referred to Street committee.

The Council went into committee of the whole on the specifications suggested by the City Engineer as to connections with the public sewerage system.

ALD. HUNTER favored the specifications, which, he said, had been carefully prepared by a practical man.

Several of the "practical men" of the board, as they styled themselves, raised points as to the effects of the specifications.

ALD. BAKER—We may sit here for two hours, but I won't consent to this.

ALD. HUNTER—What right has Ald. Baker to bulldoze this Council? I am prepared to sit here and discuss any business calculated to improve our sewerage system, but I will not be bulldozed.

The discussion of the specifications was proceeded with, and a spirited debate took place, Ald. Bragg and Baker leaving the chamber.

The specification was adopted with amendments.

ALD. HUMBER said he was happy to see that "all accounts due by the city would be paid by the City Treasurer the next day. People," said he, "speak of us as a bankrupt city, but when I find that 'all accounts' are to be paid to-morrow it encourages me to run again."

The Council adjourned at 11:45.

The Star Almanac for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

To clost out the balance of our Xmas goods, we offer what remains at such low prices that it will tempt customers who desire to make New Year presents, to purchase from T. N. Hibben & Co.

Piano Drawing.

The drawing for Geo. H. Maynard's prize piano takes place at his store, 85 Douglas street, at 10 p. m. on Saturday, December 31. Every dollar spent in the store has a share. *

Cubb's Cough Cure for whooping cough

CHASING THE APACHES.

A Hot Hunt After the Renegade Kid and His Band.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—Gen. McCook has had no verification of a report of a brush of troops with the Apache renegade Kid. The chase is still a hot one. Lieut. Bynam, with troops from San Carlos, is hot on the trail in close pursuit of the vicious renegade and party. Kid is following a course northeast and parallel to the trail leading from San Carlos to Apache. The commanders of other posts have been notified and soldiers can be sent at a moment's notice to assist in the capture of the party. The scouts are of the opinion that Kid will turn and make toward Ash creek with the intention of getting into the mountains, but with the vigorous pursuit being made it is not believed at headquarters that he can succeed this time in getting away. Night before last the pursuing party came so close to the natives, about two miles north of San Carlos, that they captured one of the Indian girls that had been with Kid's party, and also a horse belonging to the band, but the wily renegade got away with the rest of his party in the darkness. News is expected at almost any moment from the front.

FOUND DEAD.

Remains of a Japanese Fisherman Discovered in the Cabin of His Sloop.

COUPEVILLE, Dec. 29. — Last Friday William Frier, who runs a logging camp at the head of Holmes' harbor, Whidby island, found a Japanese, whose name was Suzuki Kumakichi, dead in the cabin of the fishing sloop West Seattle. He had been fishing in the harbor, and anchored off Frier's camp on Wednesday evening, went ashore and sold some fish. He remained at anchor that night and all day Thursday. He did not make his appearance on Friday. About noon of that day Mr. Frier told his man at the camp that he would go out and see if he was still there. Arriving at the sloop he could see through the window that the Jap lay with his hands across his breast like he was sleeping. He went back to camp and took another man with him and opening the door they found the Jap dead. Mr. Frier came to town on Saturday and notified the coroner, Dr. W. L. White, who went to the place and held an inquest on Sunday, the jury finding that Suzuki Kumakichi came to his death by accidental asphyxiation from coal gas.

DIVORCE SUIT.

The Son of a Paterson, N. J., Silk Manufacturer Seeking Divorce From His Wife.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Millie Pelgram has filed suit here for absolute divorce from her husband, Charles Rogers Pelgram, and claims $10,000 from her mother-in-law, Mrs. Eliza M. Pelgram, for alienating the affections of her husband. Annie Amelia Hall, a handsome girl of 30 odd years, was living in the town of Magog, Quebec, two and a half years ago. Her cousin, Charles Rogers Pelgram, whose father had been a member of the firm of Pelgram & Co., silk manufacturers, of Paterson, N. J., and died seven years ago, leaving $1,000,000, came from Paterson, accompanied by his mother, to visit her father, Judge John H. Hall, then magistrate of the district.

Charles was not 19 years old, but he fell in love with his cousin, Annie Amelia, or Millie as she was usually called. About the latter part of November, 1890, Miss Millie says she received an invitation from Charles' mother to visit her in Paterson. Charles Pelgram was at the depot with horse and carriage, to meet her. Their attachment some became evident. Mrs. Pelgram opposed the match. She told her son that he was too young to think of getting married, and she also said his cousin was much too old for him.

In a short time Miss Hall started to return to Canada, but she stopped in New York. Here Charles met her on December 6, 1890, and they went to St. George's church and were married. Charles bade his wife farewell at the depot; she went home to her parents, while young Pelgram returned to Paterson. Some days later he told his mother. She was surprised and grieved.

Sometime later Millie asked her husband to support her. He never replied to her letter, she says, nor did she come to Canada. Finally, when it became known last spring that Mrs. Pelgram was about to sue for divorce, his mother sent him to Europe. He returned two months ago, and negotiations were reopened. Now Charles is in Europe once more and Mrs. Pelgram, jr., is ready to sue for divorce.

The suit for divorce against the husband is brought on the statutory grounds, while in that against her mother-in-law, Mrs. Pelgram charges that immediately after her marriage, while she was living with her husband, Mrs. Pelgram, senr., tried to alienate his affections. Mrs. Pelgram, jr., also charges her mother-in-law with circulating the most infamous stories about her. Mrs. Pelgram, jr., swears that her mother-in-law endeavored in every possible way to obtain witnesses to attack her character and commit perjury in order that an action might be taken by her son.

A Possible Millionaire.

HALIFAX, Dec. 30.—The officers of the Leicestershire regiment tell how Lieut. Stockwell, of that regiment, stands a good chance to become a millionaire. Two weeks ago he went to the far West on a trip with Dr. Clayton, of Chicago. There they met a settler, who told them of the existence of a mine of great wealth that had been discovered by prospectors. These prospectors were returning home with specimens, but were waylaid and two of them killed. The third found refuge in the house of this settler, but died from exposure. Before he died, out of gratitude to his benefactor, he told him of the whereabouts of the great mine. Lieut. Stockwell afterwards visited the locality, and to him was imparted the secret. The officer went to the spot, found the place even richer than had been stated, obtained specimens and has returned to Chicago, where large offers to buy have been refused. Lieut. Stockwell has sent in his resignation to the war office and it has been accepted.

Lett's Diaries—Hibben & Co.

CABLE NEWS.

Le Caron Said to Have Been Engaged to Hunt Up the Dublin Dynamitards.

Revolution Feared in Ecuador—Russia Distrustful of France—Central American Railway.

More Dynamite.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—An explosion occurred in the corridor in the office of the prefecture of police at 1.30 o'clock a.m. to-day, breaking windows, damaging the woodwork and tearing down the plastering. Nobody was hurt. A investigation by experts shows that the explosion was the work of anarchists, who placed a bomb in the hall heavily charged with powder. The incident causes much alarm lest a dynamite campaign is about to be renewed.

Le Caron, the Spy.

DUBLIN, Dec. 29.—Considerable excitement was caused in Home Rule circles by the news that the Imperial authorities had directed the employment of the spy, Le Caron, to trace out the guilty parties connected with the Dublin explosion.

Mrs. Langtry in Danger.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Langtry is reported to be again in imminent danger of death.

Case of Hernandez.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 29.—The appeal of Col. Hernandez is being heard in the Supreme court. Counsel for the defendant argues that Garcia, with whom Hernandez was connected, is not a revolutionist, but a common bandit. The death sentence imposed upon Hernandez is likely to be confirmed by the court, but a pardon is expected afterward.

Intercontinental Railway.

PANAMA, Dec. 29.—A party of American engineers under W. Shunk, engaged in surveying the route for the inter-continental railway, arrived at San Jose, Costa Rica, December 20. They had been in the field since April, 1891, and expect to finish this section of the work in six or eight months.

Russia and France.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 29.—The Novoe Vremya caused a sensation by publishing an article, apparently inspired by high authority, in which the French alliance is disparaged.

Unrest in Ecuador.

PANAMA (via Galveston, Tex.), Dec. 29.—Ecuador is in a condition of unrest, and there is strong reason to apprehend an approaching revolution. The situation is very like that of Chili before the uprising against the dictatorship of Balmaceda. The President has assumed almost despotic powers, over-riding alike the constitution and laws. He has used the veto powers in the most drastic manner, annulling the financial and custome laws passed by Congress, and leaving the executive work without a semblance of legality. The President is now practically a dictator, and there is every reason to believe that a revolution will shortly break out with a view to re-establishing a constitutional government.

A Statue in Salt.

BIRMINGHAM, Dec. 29.—The Birmingham Salt Union is having sculptured at Winsford, Cheshire, a reduced copy of the statue of Liberty for the Chicago exposition. It will be carved out of solid white salt and will stand 20 feet and six inches in height.

Yellow Fever Epidemic.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Dec. 29.—Yellow fever is epidemic at La Guayra. Mortality here continues to increase, and in the smaller towns in the valley it is spreading in every direction. Here the yellow fever and typhoid are causing a monthly death rate double that of the births.

MAINLAND HAPPENINGS.

What is Doing Among the Farmers, Ranchers and Others on the Mainland.

Signs of Progress General—Personal and Public Matters—An Interesting Budget.

(From the Vernon News.)

OKANAGAN MISSION.

Mr. Thomas Spence, postmaster for Kelowna, expects the office to be open early in January. This arrangement will be of great value, as it is estimated that for some time fully three-fourths of the mail for the Mission has been for parties living at Kelowna.

A petition was circulated some time ago and largely signed to get a post office at Benvoulin. Benvoulin expects to have a blacksmith shop when the spring opens. Mr. Nicholson has made arrangements for a blacksmith from the East.

A new school will be opened at Kelowna at the beginning of the winter term in January. Messrs. C. Mair, W. H. Raymer and Thos. Spence were elected trustees. Mr. Thos. Spence secretary. There are at Kelowna thirty-three pupils of school age. Lequime's hall will be used as a school room, and during the session of the Legislature an appropriation for a suitable school will be made.

Mr. Cann returned to Kelowna on Sunday last from a trip to the Lower country.

During the storm of last week an accident occurred to the new sawmill of Lequime Bros. & Co. The wind got under the roof and as due precaution had not been taken to brace the building the back part of it toppled over.

A curling and skating club has been organized at Kelowna.

The school closed for the holidays on Thursday last with a very successful public examination.

Of Christmas cheer the people of the Mission had no stint. On Monday at 2 o'clock Mr. Arch. McDonald, of the Kelowna hotel, entertained a large number at a bachelors' dinner. Mr. Nicholson, host of the Hotel Benvoulin, also entertained a large company of invited guests.

ARMSTRONG.

Friday morning, December 23rd, Mr. W. R. McKenzie, carpenter, while trying to steady a rafter on the new town hall, lost his balance and fell to the ground, a distance of 14 feet, dislocating his shoulder.

Mr. McLeod having sold his property in Lansdowne, has purchased a house and lot from Mr. McKenzie, and is building a barn.

WHITE VALLEY.

Mr. Morand is rushing through the work on the hotel in order to have it ready for opening on the 1st. When completed the interior of the Ram's Horn Hotel will be a credit to the valley.

The jingle of the sleigh bells resounded all Xmas day.

Price Ellison is a frequent visitor to these parts. He has removed to his feeding grounds north of here, some 300 head of cattle lately purchased from the Aberdeen ranche.

TROUT CREEK.

There is very little snow here yet. None of the ranchers have commenced feeding, as the stock is still doing well on the ranges.

Mr. G. N. Barclay's thresher is doing good work throughout the settlement.

We are living in great hopes of having a wagon road built from here to Penticton in the near future. Two-and-a half miles have already been built by settlers, leaving only about eight miles to build.

The snow-fall Monday was said by old-timers to be the heaviest known in the valley in any one day. At Larkin station it snowed 5½ inches in a space of about six hours.

VERNON.

Cameron & Milne are making good progress on the building of the Earl of Aberdeen's jam factory, which is going up near Smith & Clerin's planing mill.

Count Toussis returned to Vernon this week after spending a day or two on the coast. He got at Mr. Pound's the game which was being mounted for him and started on Tuesday evening for his home in Milan.

The necessary signatures to the petition to the Lieut.-Governor for letters patent to incorporate the town of Vernon have been procured and the whole matter will now be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

At a congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church last week it was decided to undertake the building of a manse.

Chief William, at the head of Okanagan lake, has been ailing for some time and died Christmas eve. His funeral took place on Monday, Rev. Father Marchel officiating. The deceased chief's son and heir has been ill for a time, but is now gaining strength and it is expected will soon be about again.

It was expected last week that a horse-stealing case would have been tried in Vernon. The affair is somewhat mixed, but the facts, as near as can be learned, are that a horse belonging to Mr. Price Ellison, and driven last summer by Rev. Mr. Langill, strayed away from the range and turned up at the Mission with a band belonging to a man named Dufore, and bearing Dufore's brand. It is also reported that the beast bears the Mission brand, and that Dufore was instructed to gather up all horses bearing that brand.

The World's Fair commissioners for British Columbia are anxious that Mr. Pound should make a display of taxidermy in Chicago next year. Mr. Pound is willing to do so, but would like some assistance from others who have heads and stuffed birds that they might sent along. During the fall he has been too busy on work for others to get up specimens of his own, and as this particular feature of the Province's display is likely to fall short if Vernon does not do something, those who are in a position to assist should see Mr. Pound about it.

At the annual meeting of the Okanagan and Spallumcheen Agricultural Society held recently the following officers were elected: President, M. Lumby, S.M.; First Vice-President, Hon. Majoribanks; Second Vice-President, A. L. Fortune, J.P.; Secretary, W. H. Norris; Treasurer, W. F. Cameron; Directors, Messrs. L. Girouard, Price Ellison, B. F. Young, E. H. Woods, S. Driscoll, F. Conkle, R. S. Hall, D. Graham, Jno. Pringle, Grand Prairie; G. W. Barclay, Trout Creek; Jno. A. Cameron, D. Mattheson, W. J. Armstrong, W. R. McClusky and T. E. Croweli.

The president read a letter from Hon. F. G. Vernon, inclosing a cheque for $25 donation to the funds of the society, and expressing the probability that the Legislature may see their way to giving a larger grant in the future.

Mr. Lumby, president of the society in his remarks opening the meeting, referred to the short time the society had been in existence and the wonderful success which had attended it. The amount of good which it had accomplished could not be appreciated by those who had not had the opportunity of learning outside opinions, but a visit to the coast had shown him that the work of the society had borne good fruit by showing those from a distance what the district can do. The gaining of prizes was only a small part of the benefit, but the effect it would have in promoting the interests of agriculture generally and advertising the district abroad was of much greater importance. The great trouble was to get the people to pull together, and the organization of this society two years ago was the first step taken towards that end, while the matter of incorporation that had been discussed on Saturday night would be another very important step in that direction.

The receipts of the year to date amounted to $2,082 98. The expenditure in prizes amounts to $933.50, and other expenses totalled $603.15. To these two items of expense were to be added $240 of prize money unpaid and several accounts unsettled, which would bring the balance in hand from the year's operations down to about $150, which was a very good showing indeed. The Okanagan and Spallumcheen Agricultural Society was about the only one in the Province that paid its way and has a balance on the right side of the ledger.

The Wires.

According to the information received from the C. P. R. telegraph office, the wires were down last night somewhere north of Nanaimo, and in consequence no dispatches were received since the afternoon by the COLONIST, except from Nanaimo.

Stop that cough by getting a pair of cork soled boots at J. H. Baker's. *

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Alberni Indians' First Christmas Tree—"Murder Will Out" Verified at Duncan's.

Liquor Law at Vancouver—An Important Business Suit—A Fast Trip.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 30.—The License Commissioners had a stormy meeting last evening. Mr. Devine's motion to close up four liquor shops was lost, Mr. Devine not being able to bring sworn evidence forward that the law was broken at the said shops, though declaring that he was morally certain liquor was sold by the glass at the threatened places. Mr. Devine accused the police of not doing their duty, after which Messrs. Alexander and Devine moved that: "Whereas the selling of liquor by the glass in the shops is a matter of notoriety in the city, the Board of License Commissioners regret that, so far as they can see, the Executive authorities of the city have made no determined effort to put a stop to it." The motion was declared carried.

The Trades and Labor Council have complained to the city that D. McGillivray has sub-let part of the city contract. The Board of Works has asked the Labor Council for proof.

Murray and Fraser claim money for work done in 1890. The city repudiate the claim.

T. M. Thomas, contractor for clearing block 185, asked the city to extend the time to September 1. The request was declined by the Board of Works.

Mr. Morgan's charges against the City Engineer, and Mr. McLeod's charges against the contractor for the market hall have fallen through.

A resolution to place Mr. J. P. Lawson in charge of the water works, which was referred back to the Fire, Water and Light committee, was again passed by that body.

Percy McCrae, of the steamship Empress of India, left yesterday for England on two months' holidays. Assistant Purser Hoch will fill his place. A number of civilians and Empress officers gave Mr. McCrae a proper send off, the Chinese stewards celebrating the occasion by a fusilade of fire-crackers.

Third Officer Bowles has been transferred to the Empress of China and promoted to the position of second officer. H. H. Bellers, fourth officer of the China, has been transferred to the India. Several of the crew of the India left for the old country to-day.

Rev. H. P. Hobson was presented with $130 on Christmas day by his congregation.

Two of the crew of the recently arrived barkentine Bittern were taken to the hospital yesterday suffering severely from being frost bitten during the recent cold snap.

Rev. Joe Waldrop will lecture in the Market hall again on Saturday evening.

A substantial English supper is the attraction advertised by the ladies of the Homer street Methodist church for Monday night.

The steamer Island Belle arrived to-day from the Sound on her second regular trip. A quantity of freight is waiting for shipment.

The British ship Abcona was towed out to sea yesterday with 775,140 feet of lumber valued at $7,000, which will be unloaded at Pt. Pirie.

Mr. Justice Bole held Supreme Court Chambers yesterday morning to hear an application to make Thomas Dunn co-defendant in the case of the Consumers' Cordage Co., and Fraser & Co. and Green. Hon. Theodore Davie on the opening of the court, stated that he had a motion to make in the case of the Consumers' Cordage Co. vs. Fraser & Co. the plaintiffs acting on behalf of selves and several other creditors.

Mr. Hamersley submitted that any order yet made did not place the Bank of British Columbia upon the records in the case at all and, therefore, no appearance could be entered on their behalf and, therefore, Mr. Davie could not make the motion.

Mr. Davie held that the order had been actually made and only awaited the signature of the judge which was merely evidence of its having been made.

Judge Bole held that the usual practice in Ontario gave the counsel for the Bank of British Columbia the right to appear.

Mr. Davie read an affidavit from Alfred McKinnell, stating that Mr. Dunn's men were removing the stock as fast as possible and if another day were given he would have about all the stock removed.

The court stated that the matter was one in which he could grant an interim *ex parte* injunction. He was convinced from what counsel in the case had stated before him that Mr. Dunn had made the purchase and was selling the goods with the full knowledge of the injunction and took chances of its being dissolved.

Mr. Hamersley stated that so far as he had known Mr. Dunn was an innocent purchaser. He asked that the case be allowed to stand over till Friday, when he expected Mr. Bodwell to be present. Meantime he would agree that no more goods should be removed.

Mr. Davie said that if Mr. Dunn would return the goods removed since the order was served, no further goods removed and a competent person put in charge, he would consent to the adjournment. By an order of the court Deputy-Sheriff Patterson was put in charge till otherwise directed by the court, but now Mr. Patterson was at Harrison and Mr. Dunn was in possession.

Mr. Russell, on behalf of Mr. Patterson, said that the latter had refused to give up possession of the premises, and if Mr. Dunn was in possession it was without Mr. Patterson's consent.

Mr. Davie: There appears to have been burglary as well.

The motion of Mr. Davie was then heard. He gave a brief history of the case, mentioning that in the last instance when the case was before the court it was on an application to dissolve the injunction upon consent. The application was refused and the Bank of British Columbia was made party defendant to carry on the case. He read an affidavit of Mr. George Gillespie to the effect that the goods were being sold and the interests of the Bank prejudiced. As Mr. Russell had said that Mr. Patterson had left the premises double-locked the matter was worse. He asked that Thomas Shirley be placed in charge instead of W. S. Patterson, that Mr. Dunn be commanded to restore the goods he has removed since the service of the notice of this motion, and that Mr. Dunn be made a party to the action.

Judge Bole held that the orders of the court must be respected. He, himself, had directed that a special lock be put on the premises, and the sanctity of the British court of justice must be upheld.

An interim *ex parte* injunction restraining further sales of the goods was therefore granted till 3 o'clock to-day, when the motion to make Thomas Dunn a defendant will be heard. Thos. Shirley was placed in charge with instructions to let nothing be taken away.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 30.—The river steamers cannot go up past Derby for the ice.

The members of the Junior Blue Ribbon society of the Sunday school of Holy Trinity were treated to a Christmas tree festival last night in St. Leonard's hall.

An invitation is to be sent to the Vancouver football men to play a game of Rugby on Moody Square on Monday, January 2. The home team are in good form for solid work and would like to get it in on Vancouver.

There was no lack of meat in the City Market to-day. The city meat dealers were represented there with heavy stocks.

The City Council of 1892 will hold a meeting to receive the auditor's report on the books of the city treasurer for the past year and to have a general winding up of affairs on Tuesday morning next, and it is expected that the Council of 1893 may take their seats at noon the same day.

On Friday the 23rd inst., Miss Dora, eldest daughter of Mr. T. Kruger, collector of customs at Osoyoos, was married to C. E. Pittenbrigh of this city, at the Presbyterian Church in Vernon.

The members of the Westminster Choral Union opened the song season last night at St. Leonard's Hall in the oratorio "Messiah" before a large audience. The music was under the directorship of His Lordship, Bishop Sillitoe, and the orchestra was assisted by several members of the City Band, under the leadership of Mr. C. H. Watson. The combination of voices and instruments is a strong one, and the effect last night received a favorable verdict from experts, but at the same time was assigned the suggestion that the oratorio would have had a more imposing style and effect had it been rendered in a larger hall. The next concert will be given on the 12th of January, when the "Revenge" will be rendered.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Dec. 30.—The crew of the four-masted ship Hawaiian Island deserted last night. They are all non-union men. No attempt so far has been made for their arrest.

Dr. Sloggett, of San Juan, will shortly take up his residence in this city.

Ex-Mayor John Hilbert will be a candidate for the mayoralty.

The Masonic ball given in the Opera House last evening was a great success. There was a large attendance. The grand march began at 9:30 p.m., and dancing was kept up till nearly 5 o'clock this morning. The following comprised the committee: M. Wolfe, W. K. Leighton, W. Vanhouten, Dr. L. T. Davis, F. McB. Young, M. Bates, sr., Dr. W. Eberts, J. W. Coburn, F. W. Moss and W. H. S. Perkins. Quite a number of Masons from different parts of the province took part in the affair. The hall was handsomely decorated, and the dresses worn by the ladies lent to the scene a picturesque appearance. Mr. Dempsey, of the Windsor House, provided a splendid supper.

Steamer Joan arrived this evening from Comox. She did not call at Qualicum. There is therefore no news yet of the missing man Miller. The Joan returned to Comox this evening to deliver a message to the steamer San Mateo, which is loading at the Union mine. She will return and continue her regular trip to-morrow morning.

Mr. Joseph Waldrop, of Portland, lectures this evening on "Labor," under the auspices of the Nanaimo Trades' and Labor Union.

Anxiety was expressed for the safety of the steamer Romulus, which left here on December 17 for San Francisco with a cargo of coal. A dispatch received to-day announces her safe arrival.

The ship J. C. Potter made the round trip to San Francisco and return in twenty-one days, the fastest trip on record except one made by the ship America in twenty days.

Arrived, ship Wachussett; sailed, bark India.

ALBERNI.

ALBERNI, Dec. 27.—After three days of severe cold a light fall of snow was followed by rain and a mild Xmas day.

The schools closed at the end of last week for Christmas holidays and will open again on January 9, 1893.

A "Christmas tree" was prepared for the Indian children on Saturday evening at the Presbyterian mission, and was a great curiosity to the Siwashes—young and old—as it was the first seen by them.

Dr. R. Robinson left on Saturday to spend Christmas with friends in Nanaimo.

"Lucy" an Alberni "klootch" was lodged in the "skukum house" charged with theft by a young rancher with whom she had lived. She was dismissed on Monday and costs were paid by the plaintiff.

A shooting match and concert are announced for Friday.

DUNCAN'S.

DUNCAN'S, Dec. 30.—Louis Underwood, an Indian, and another Indian named Yeak-me-tun, of the Clemclemaluts Ranch, were arrested last night whilst a potlatch was in progress at the ranch by Constable Maitland-Dougall and will be brought this morning before H. O. Wellburn, J.P., at the court house, on a charge of having murdered a Clemclemaluts Indian called Johnny Tsair-lo-kun, on the Bench road to McPherson's, on the night of Dec. 6, 1891.

It may be remembered that Tsair-lo-kum was missing after a drinking party in his own house, and although several search parties were organized and the country scoured in all directions, no trace of him was discovered. In April last, the bones of a human being and several articles of clothing were found near a trail close to the Bench Road, at the back of Mr. Thomas Marshall's farm.

An inquest was held on the remains, which were identified as those of Tsair-lo-kum from the clothing, when an open verdict was returned.

The theories and rumors at the time the Indian's body was found were that he had lain down in a drunken state or fit in the bush and died from exposure to the severe rain storm that occurred that night, or that he had been killed in a drunken brawl and the body hidden away.

From the information rumored to be in the hands of the authorities it is thought highly probable that the old saw that "murder will out" will be once more verified.

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SPOKANE, Dec. 29.—An incorporation was perfected at Garfield yesterday which is to prove of much benefit to the farmers of Eastern Washington. Over a hundred representative farmers were in attendance at the meeting and Senator McCroskey, who was elected chairman, made a brief address, in which he set forth the objects of the meeting to be for the purpose of taking active steps in regard to erecting a warehouse at tide water for the purpose of hauling the grain of members in conjunction with the various warehouses of the Washington Farmers' Warehouse Association, which has thirty warehouses throughout Eastern and Western Washington. Several other speakers made short speeches favoring the project, and there seemed to be no division of opinion as to the need of such a warehouse, and the only question seemed to be as to where the warehouse should be located. There were three cities in question, one of which should be selected, namely, Portland, Tacoma and Seattle.

The committee appointed some time ago to select a site for the warehouse, submitted propositions from all three cities, with the recommendation that Tacoma is the most advantageous. A committee of five was appointed to choose the site at once. It was decided to erect a warehouse of a million-bushel capacity at a cost of about $100,000. With this tide-water warehouse the farmers of Eastern Washington predict a new and more prosperous era in farming. A farmer who raises 100 bushels a year, as well as farmers who raise 10,000 bushels, will ship the grain to this warehouse and receive a certificate for a certain number of bushels of a certain quality of wheat. With these certificates, they say, they can raise money in the banks and will not be forced to sell at low prices. Full cargoes can be shipped, and the officers of the new company claim that better prices can be obtained in this way. There is plenty of capital back of the new corporation, and Senator McCroskey says that the success of the new enterprise is assured.

The articles of incorporation provide that the corporation be known as the Farmers' Terminal Warehouse company. The capital stock is $150,000, divided into 6,000 shares of $25 each. The corporation is to last for fifty years, under the control of a board of five directors, all of whom must be citizens of the United States, residents of the State of Washington, and stockholders of the company. Hon. R. C. McCroskey, Garfield; Lillis H. Smith, Endicott; Frank A. English, Farmington; John Bicknell, Palouse City, and Neil Stewart, Pullman, were unanimously elected as directors for a period of six months. This board will have the power to designate the principal place of business and to conduct all business of the company. R. C. McCroskey was chosen president, F. C. Smith vice president and F. A. English secretary. Mr. McCroskey was appointed a committee of one to view the location at Tacoma, Portland and Seattle, and to report on offers made. The organization of the company has resulted in an advance of four cents a bushel on wheat.

MR. GREIG EXPLAINS.

TO THE EDITOR:—It is with no desire to have the last word that I ask permission to refer to the concluding paragraph of your editorial of yesterday, which seems to convey an imputation that my method of controversy is unworthy and illegitimate. Allow me to say that I took the "Standard" article seriatim, dealing first with the German report, which is certainly for the one year, 1890, and it was to this only that my remark was intended to apply. I am very sorry that it proved capable of another application, but it was made in good faith, and with no intention to be unfair.

I hope that even my bitterest opponent does not believe me capable of deliberate misstatement, but indeed, to put it upon a very low ground, it is altogether against my interest to be otherwise than scrupulously correct, as there are too many sharp eyes watching my facts and figures. With this short explanation before you, Sir, I think you will admit that your remarks were quite unnecessarily harsh.

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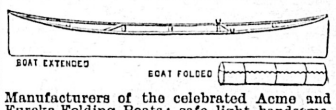

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AMERICAN NEWS.

New York and Chicago Stirred Up by Dynamite Activity in Europe.

Peace in Central America—Rough Time on the Pacific—Foster and Harrison Disagree.

Anarchist Schemes.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A morning paper will say to-morrow: New York and Chicago police are stirred up over the recent manifestations of activity by dynamiters. The Reds are being carefully watched in this country. Yesterday's explosion of a bomb in the Paris prefecture of police; the Dublin outrage last Saturday, and the explosion in Milwaukee last Wednesday, by which nearly $1,000,000 worth of property was destroyed, are now believed to be a part of the threatened scheme of world-wide destruction which anarchists have been proclaiming for some time past.

Higher Theological Education.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—An important conference of the representatives of the Baptist Theological seminaries of the United States was held here to-day, to consider the question of theological seminary extension work for persons who have not pursued full courses of study and for others who have decided to ayail themselves of the advantages offered. The conference decided unanimously that something of the kind is desirable, and appointed an executive committee, consisting of the presidents of the six theological seminaries, to mature a plan, and report at a subsequent meeting.

The U. S. in Panama.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 29.—The Washington correspondent of the New York Herald says that the Federal Government has at last taken a step in the Panama affair. As a result of the last cabinet meeting, when the unprecedented action in refusing through bills of lading to American ships across the isthmus was considered, a cable has been sent to the Government of Colombia. It requested that no steps be taken looking to extension of the time within which the Panama canal must be completed until our Government has an opportunity to be heard upon the subject. The cable han something to say as to the evident antagonism of the present management of the Panama railroad to American interests. The President and his cabinet are a unit as to the proper line of action to be pursued in this matter. The State department will immediately take active steps for the preservation of American interests in Panama, and within a few days a vigorous protest will be sent to Colombia against any intercession on the part of that republic in favor of the Panama company.

Changed His Vocation.

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—Evangelist Shiverea had just finished an address to the business men of Boston in Faneuil hall yesterday at noon, when a wild-eyed, bare-headed man rushed down the centre aisle, jumped on the stage and fell on the speaker's neck: "My God, my God, is this you?" he exclaimed, "Oh! what a change," the stranger sobbed, and as the tears flooded his eyes he continued: "I, too, will take the same Jesus who saved you. I know he is the one true Son of God to work such a miracle." The stranger was Shiverea's uncle. The evangelist used to be a variety actor and his uncle thought he had gone to the bad. Both uncle and nephew fell upon their knees and thanked God.

Great Northern Welcomed.

SPOKANE, Dec. 29.—The annual banquet of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce took place to-night at the Hotel Spokane and excelled all that have preceded it in extent of preparations. President J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern railway, was expected to be present and aid at the same time in the celebration of the completion of the railway to Seattle, but was detained in St. Paul. Seventy of the leading business men of Spokane were present and many visitors from other cities. The banquet was of the character of a jubilee over the reductions of freight rates and the bright business outlook for next year, all the speakers touching upon that point.

To Extend University Teaching.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30. — Prominent educators from the leading centres of the country are here in large numbers to participate in the second national conference of the American Society for the extension of university teaching. The conference will be in session for two days, and will discuss various measures that have been suggested for making the university extension movement more general and efficient.

The Mexican Rebellion.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 29.—The report that 300 Mexican troops under Gen. Garcia have been routed by 250 revolutionists west of Guerrero is believed to be without foundation. Garcia telegraphed to the Government yesterday, but said nothing about the reported engagement. The appeal of Col. Hernandez is being heard in the Supreme court. Counsel for defendant argued that Garcia, with whom Hernandez was connected, was not a revolutionist, but a common bandit. The death sentence imposed upon Hernandez is likely to be confirmed by the court, but a pardon is expected afterward.

Foster and Harrison Disagree.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Times states that Secretary of the Treasury Foster's trip to this city was not on private business as given out officially, but for the purpose of consulting Wall Street magnates on a proposition to relieve the money market and check the export of gold by having a government issue of $50,000,000 to $100,000,000 of bonds. The President's co-operation has been counted on, but this was suddenly discovered to be delusive. The President not only refused to approve the deal, but went further and declared that he could see no excuse for issuing bonds and he did not propose that any should be issued while he was President.

U. S. in South Pacific.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 29.—The Navy Department has encountered another obstacle in the work of equipping the coaling station in the harbor of Pago-Pago, Samoa. An appropriation of $100,000 was made to purchase the necessary land and equipment, and bids were invited for the construction of an iron pier with the necessary landing facilities. Only two were low enough to justify further consideration. Those were H. M. Mahon & Son, San Francisco, at $78,700, and the Coronado Machine company, San Diego, Cal., $84,500. Even these bids are in excess of the available balance of the appropriation, which has already suffered severe drains for preliminary expenses. The question agitating the department is not so much which of the two bids shall be accepted, as the best manner of supplying the deficiency.

Central America at Peace.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 29.—The attention of the Nicaraguan minister in this city to-day was called to a Panama dispatch stating that the boundary dispute between Costa Rica and Nicaragua was assuming threatening dimensions and that hostilities between the two republics might begin at any moment. He said: "That is all wrong and I wish you would give it the fullest contradiction. Both countries, all Central America, in fact, are interested in the Nicaragua canal and these reports might do us great injury if not contradicted. There is no truth in them. There has been a little discussion, that is all."

The Empire's Rough Passage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The steamer Empire, which sailed from Nanaimo on the 20th inst. and got in last night, reports: Sailed from Departure Bay December 20, at 5 p.m. At midnight it was snowing hard, with strong easterly weather. Passed out of the Sound at 3:30 p.m. the following day. The wind then increased to a gale, accompanied by heavy snowstorms and frost. The ship was covered with ice and the men suffered considerably. On the 22d the wind increased to a southeast gale, and a heavy sea commenced to run which, from time to time, broke over the ship. At 2:15 a.m. of the 24th inst., in 45 degress, 12 minutes north, and 125 degrees 2 minutes west, we shipped a heavy sea, which completely submerged the vessel. It smashed in the bulkheads and pilot house, the engine-room doors and skylight, and let a great body of water into the fire room, flooding it to a depth of two feet. It was very interesting in the engineer's department for a short time. Dry fuel was passed out by hand and the steam was kept up. The pumps soon cleared the vessel. Other seas came on board which carried away our boats, smashed in the saloon skylights and carried overboard the butcher-shop and companion hatch and completely flooded the saloon. All hands worked with a will and soon cleared away the wreckage. On Christmas day we ran into another southeaster, which compelled us to heave to for 14 hours. The Empire presents a battered appearance, and Capt. Moa's report underestimates what his vessel had to come through.

Prominent Prussian Stabbed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Baron Wilhelm von Puttkamer, said to be the son of a Prussian statesman and nephew of Princess Bismarck, wife of the great Chancellor, and who, after an eventful career as a German soldier, sailor and man of the world in general, has finally settled down in this country as a private in the ranks of the Salvation Army, was struck on the head with a slung shot and stabbed in the abdomen shortly after 4 o'clock this morning, in the hallway of No. 17 Abington square, where he has a room. An ambulance was called from Stuytevants hospital, whither the wounded man was taken. The surgeons pronounced the wound in the abdomen dangerous. One blow on the head had cut the scalp, but had not fractured the skull. Von Puttkamer upon recovering consciousness at the hospital gave his version of the strange affair. He heard a voice down stairs at 4 o'clock in the morning, he said, and started down to find out the cause of the disturbance. On the first floor he found two masked burglars who attacked him. Then there ensued a terrific struggle, during which he was knocked on the head and stabbed. Then he became unconscious.

Report Denied.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 29.—The report that 300 Mexican troops under General Garcia have been routed by 250 revolutionists at Lasdimimas, in West Guerro, is believed to be without foundation. Garcia telegraphed the government yesterday, but said nothing about the report of an engagement.

Big Athletic Association.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Arthur T. Lumley, editor of the Illustrated News, is responsible for the information that an athletic club will soon be organized in this city with a capital of $3,000,000, for the purpose of promoting athletics and especially boxing. Purses will be offered for contests between the best men in their class. James J. Coogan, who ran for mayor of this city on the Labor ticket and was defeated in 1888, is the promoter of the new club and Arthur Lumley has been selected to manage the boxing contests. Mr. Lumley said that many of New York's business men are connected with the club. It is the intention to build a spacious club house and with an area that is expected to seat 8,000 people.

Smoking Compartments Opposed.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—A number of the Women's Christian Temperance Union and kindred social organizations have banded together to secure the banishment of smoking compartments from sleeping cars. Communications were recently sent to George E. Pullman, of the Pullman Palace Car Company, and W. Seward Webb, of the Wagner system, to the following effect: "We make earnest plea that people paying full fare on palace cars may not be subjected day and night to the poisonous fumes of tobacco, which cause untold suffering and sickness to many. We believe that a sense of justice will compel you to care equally for the comfort of all who travel. We therefore pray you to abolish the smoking compartment on the palace car." A large number of names of women well known for their connection with social and philanthropic movements are attached to these petitions, but so far no reply has been received.

Columbus Postage Stamps.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 29.—The Post Office Department has been deluged with applications from collectors and others for complete sets of the Columbus postage stamps that are shortly to be issued. Every mail is loaded down with applications for sets in large and small quantities. Postmaster-General Wanamaker has not yet decided what course to take in response to these applications, but has figured it up that the Government can secure a premium of over a million dollars by granting the applications. It had originally been intended that the stamps should be on sale at all post offices by January 1, but in view of the peculiar demand in question, the general distribution may be postponed. The stamps are only to be on sale for one year, and are then to be withdrawn from general use.

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Corner lot on Tramway line, Victoria West, $1,200. 133-1

151 acres, Alberni, sawmill and water power, dwelling, stables, 20 acres plowed, opposite Anderson & Co's townsite, a fine speculation, $6,500. 130-4

98 acres, 30 cropped, 25 chopped, log house, 2 barns, stable and outbuildings, half mile from school, near railway, $3,500. 128-4

House and 2 lots, Pembroke st., easy terms, $1,000. 110-1

324 acres farm land, about 70 acres in clover and timothy, small house, well, good spring, etc., 0-

4 building lots, Cedar Hill Road, near the gold mines, $1,500. 135-2

7-room house, conservatory, out-houses, modern conveniences, etc., ¼ acre of land; facing the sea; beautiful view of Straits and Olympians, $6,000—terms. 137-1

6-room house, bath, etc.; corner lot, Henry and Turner streets, $3,500. 136-4

5,900 acres timber land—22 GRANTS—Estimate, 30 M per acre, principally cedar, with hemlock, spruce and balsam. 144-4

320 acres, Alberni; 100 cleared; house, barn, ditching, etc. Cheap, $6,500, on terms. 144-3

Building lot, Victoria West, 50x90, $500. 142-2

97 acres, South Saanich; dwelling, barns, stable, out-houses, etc. $4,200. 142-3

40 acres, South Saanich. $1,400. 142-4

Building lot, 60 feet by 132 feet, Chatham street, near Blanchard. $1,650. 141-2

10 acres; house, stables, sheds, etc.; all fenced; near the junction; good orchard land. $3,000. 140-2

7-Room House and double lot; a bargain. $1,400. 139-1

237 acres, Somenos Lake. 138-5

6-Room House and lot, Spring Ridge.—1,250. 133-3

3-Story House, 12 Rooms, bath room, hot and cold water; all modern improvements, beautifully finished; lot 177 x 102 ft. 8 in.; unsurpassed view of the straits and beautiful scenery; 20 minutes' walk from post office; cars pass the property. 148-1

80 acres, Alberni, 2½ miles from the townsite. $20 per acre. 147-1

80 acres, Alberni, 2½ miles from the townsite. $15 per acre. 147-2

4-Room House, and lot, Front street, Victoria West. $1,250. 146-2

40 acres, Lake District. $10 per acre. 145-1

3 Building Lots, Sylvia street, each $1,050. 145-2

20 acres, Alberni; 2-room house, 24 x 16; frame barn and lean-to; 4 acres ploughed and fenced; 15 acres chopped; crop, timothy and clover. $600. 145-3

Building Lot, Avalon street, close to the Park. $1,500. 145-4

2 Building Lots, Rithet street, each $1000. 149-1

Building Lot, Beacon Hill, 50x150, $1000. 149-2

156 acres, Comox, convenient to steamer, post office, church, school, sawmill, Union Mines, etc., good hunting and fishing, 70 acres cleared and fenced, orchard, well, springs, $9000 with coal right. 150

6-Room House and Lot, 44x120, more or less, on Pandora street, $4,500. 151-2

6-Room House, 1½ story, bath room, etc., junction Yates and Fort street, opposite Dunsmuir's castle. 151-3

Large Building lot, 90x112, corner Niagara and South Turner streets. 151-4

120 acres Farming Land, Alberni, within 2 miles steamboat landing, about 6 acres cleared and fenced, log cabin, sheep pen and shed, water power from creek, first class fruit ranch, $1,200. 152-1

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3388 acres, Sheep Ranch, $2.25 per acre. 151-1

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6-Room House, fully furnished, bath, piano, etc., Cook street, $30 per month. 23
6 Cottages, Spring Ridge, $10 and $12 per month. 27
6-Room House, 44 Second street, $13 per month. 28
4-Room House, 46 Second street, $10 per month. 29
3-Room House, Humboldt street, $7 per month. 31
4-Room House, 193 Douglas street, $7 per month. 32
5-Room House, 181 Pandora street (corner), $16 per month. 33
4-Room House, 295 Johnson street, $7 per month. 1
3 Rooms, 125 Blanchard street, $6 per month. 2
5-Room House, 297 Johnson street, $12 per month. 3
4-Room House, 226 Cook street, bath, etc., $10 per month. 4
5-Room House, Jackson street, $15 per month. 6
3-Room House, 74 North Park street, $7 per month. 7
3-Room House, 76 North Park street, $7 per month. 8
7-Room House, 38 Mason street, $10 per month. 9
7-Room House, 6 Humboldt street, $20 per month. 10
7-Room House, 8 Humboldt street, $20 per month. 11
7-Room House, 40 Mason street, $10 per month. 13
5-Room House, 51 Kane street, $12 per month. 14

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NOTICES.

MUNICIPAL - NOTICE.

The Following is Published Pursuant to a Resolution of the Council.

The persons entitled to qualify as Electors are:—

1. Any male or female of the age of twenty-one years who is assessed for land or improvements within the City and who pays on or before the first day of December, 1892, all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her.

2. Any male or female of the full age of twenty-one years who resided in the City on or before the fifth day of December, 1891, who holds a license for and is carrying on business in the ward of the City in which he or she is registered as the holder of such trade license, the annual fee for which is not less than five dollars, and who has paid on or before the first day of December, 1892, the license fee up to and including the 31st day of December, 1892, and also all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her.

3. Any male or female being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years who has resided and been a householder in the City for the six months preceding the 7th November, 1892, and who pays a rental of not less than $60 per annum, and who pays on or before the first day of December, 1892, all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her, and who before the 1st day of December, 1892, enters with the Assessor his or her name as a voter, and who makes and personally delivers to the Assessor a statutory declaration in the form mentioned in Sub-section E of Section 37 of the Municipal Act, 1892.

The declaration is to be made and subscribed before a Judge, Magistrate, or Notary Public.

The Voters' List closes on the 5th December, 1892.

No person can have his or her name twice entered on the Voters' List in one and the same ward.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, Nov. 21, 1892. no22

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on and after Thursday next, the 24th inst., the scow for the removal of city garbage, and night soil will be at the wharf at the foot of Telegraph street (connecting with Store street between Fisguard and Herald streets), between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m., for the reception of garbage, refuse, and rubbish; between the hours of 12 midnight and 4 a. m., for the reception of filth, night soil, etc. By order.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, November 22, 1892. no23

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing and operating a line or lines of Telephone and Cable between the Cities of Victoria, New Westminster, Nanaimo and Vancouver or intervening Points as may be desired, and between such other place or places in or between Vancouver's Island and Queen Charlotte Islands, and such other islands in the Gulf of Georgia as may be desired for establishing stations therefor and for all other powers necessary, usual incidental or conducive to the foregoing purposes or any of them.

C. DUBOIS MASON,
Solicitor for Applicants.
December 6th, 1892. dec14

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a company for the purpose of erecting and operating at some convenient point within the Province the necessary blast furnaces, steel works, rolling mills, plant and machinery for extracting iron from the ores thereof, and for manufacturing the same into steel and iron of all descriptions, and for utilizing the product of said works in the building of iron or steel ships, steamers, and other sea craft, and all description of machinery, and of all iron or steel manufactured articles; to hold land, own, operate, and work coal mines, iron mines, copper mines, nickel mines, timber limits, timber leases, charcoal ovens, coke ovens, and to build, own, and operate steamers, sailing vessels, barges, railways, wharves, etc., in connection with said works or otherwise, and generally to possess and exercise all such other powers as are necessary or incidental to the said purposes or any of them. And to provide a guarantee by the Province of 5 per cent. per annum for 20 years on $1,000,000 of the capital stock of said company, and for freedom from Government and Municipal taxation for a like period.

Dated the 11th day of November, 1892.
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, operating and maintaining Water Works at the Town of Alberni, Vancouver Island, in the said Province, with power to take and convey water from Sproat Lake, Central Lake, Somass and Stamp Rivers, and other lakes and streams within a radius of 20 miles from the centre of the said Town, and to build flumes and aqueducts, dig ditches, lay pipes, erect dams, acquire lands, and do all such things as may be necessary for the purposes aforesaid.

18th November, 1892.
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no19-2m Solicitors for the Promoters.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between Pemberton & Dumbleton, barristers and solicitors, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by Alan S. Dumbleton at 51 Langley street, who assumes all liabilities and to whom all debts are to be paid.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1892.
(Signed), C. C. PEMBERTON,
dec11-1mo ALAN S. DUMBLETON.

NOTICE.

During my temporary absence in England, any communications may be left with, and my address obtained from Messrs. Lowenberg, Harris & Co., Government street.
J. GERHARD TIARKS,
no27-tf Architect.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Notice is hereby given that the "Dupont" Hospital Ambulance is now ready for service in cases of accidents, and can be obtained at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

The use of the ambulance for all cases other than accidents can only be obtained on the order of one of the Consulting or Visiting Physicians of the Hospital.

The names of the said Physicians can be had on application at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

H. M. YATES,
de23-tf Secretary.

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HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney will receive visitors at Government House on Monday the 2nd January next, from 1 p. m. to 6 p. m.

By command.
H. STANTON,
dec31-2t Private Secretary.

GRAVE RESPONSIBILITY.

We are very sorry that our esteemed correspondent, Mr. Greig, regards our remarks on his criticisms of the Standard's statistics as "quite unnecessarily harsh." We believed that he had dealt disingenuously with those statistics, and we intended to speak plainly, but not harshly, with regard to his way of treating them and the whole subject of vaccination. We did this because we believe that the man who attempts to undermine the faith of the public in the efficacy of vaccination incurs a very grave responsibility. It appears to us literally to be a matter of life and death; and before a man undertakes to throw doubt upon what is believed, by men competent to judge, a means of preserving human life, he should have taken the greatest care to qualify himself to discuss the subject intelligently, and to assure himself that he is right. And he should not, we submit, be the judge of his own qualifications, for men are exceedingly apt to deceive themselves on such matters, but his qualifications should be tested by men well capable of judging whether they were sufficient or not. It is to Mr. Greig's competency to discuss the question of vaccination that we take exception, and not to Mr. Greig, himself. He is, as far as we have had the opportunity of observing, a most estimable person, and we would be very sorry indeed unnecessarily to hurt his feelings. But he must know that he is dealing with no trifling matter. He must admit it to be possible that the medical men of the different nations who have studied this subject, and the intelligent men who have given it their attention, are right in believing that there is efficacy in vaccination. If then they are right—if vaccination is the means of lessening the sum of human suffering and of saving human life, is it justifiable in any man who has not given his whole attention to the subject and who has not studied it thoroughly and without bias, to attempt to throw doubt upon its efficacy? We would think that a conscientious man would be appalled at the thought of leading people astray on such a subject. If the children of persons who, through his advice or arguments, refused to have their children vaccinated, caught smallpox and died of it, would he not feel that he was, in no small degree, responsible for their untimely death? He certainly would be, whether he realized his responsibility or not. Having this firm conviction our readers will understand why it is we consider it our duty to be outspoken and plainspoken on the subject of anti-vaccination and anti-vaccinationists. With us it is more reasonable to conclude that the anti-vaccinationists are ignorant, incompetent and invariably prejudiced, than to believe that the great body of medical men who regard vaccination as a safeguard against smallpox, know nothing about their business, are dishonest, and are incapable of weighing evidence and of coming to sound conclusions from facts that come under their own observation.

PROTECTION IN ENGLAND.

There are some in England who are disposed to treat the movement in favor of Protection with contempt. They believe, or affect to believe, that what is said about the necessity of Great Britain taking an active part in the industrial war and fighting her enemies with their own weapons, is nothing but the drivelling of a few political imbeciles, who are either pitied or laughed at by the rest of the nation. The St. James' Gazette, however, takes a different, and as we think, a much more sensible view of the matter. It sees the folly of pooh-poohing the Protectionists, and says:—

It is no use repeating that Protection is not within the range of practical politics. This is mere blind bigotry. Protection may be absurd, wicked, ruinous—anything we please. But it must be treated seriously. When a huge slice of the population wants a particular thing done—and is prepared to vote for it—it needs no great insight to see that it cannot be ignored indefinitely as the merely foolish vision of foolish, unpractical men. Protection has to be reckoned with in party politics, and party politicians must make up their mind what their attitude towards it is to be, and that without much more delay.

This is the language of practical common sense. If the farmers of England and Scotland are looking to Protection to remedy the evils from which they are suffering, and if there is a respectable number of men of other classes and other industries—as there is—ready to second the efforts of the farmers to obtain Protection, the British Free Traders, strong as they feel themselves to be, are acting foolishly when they treat such opponents with contempt. The Protectionists of Great Britain have, within the last few years, increased greatly and they are likely still further to increase. It would be, therefore, prudent in the believers in the present fiscal policy of Great Britain to inquire into the cause of so notable a change and to do, as soon as possible, what they can to check the growth of a Protectionist party in Great Britain. This they will have to do sooner or later, and they will if they are wise stop laughing at once and go to work.

BRITISH LARGE-MINDEDNESS.

Mr. Gladstone was in the beginning of the present month honored by the citizens of Liverpool without distinction of party or creed. Men who supported him as Prime Minister and men who opposed him united in showing respect to their venerable and celebrated fellow-townsman. He was presented with the freedom of the city and entertained at a banquet. In the speech which he made in acknowledgment of the honor done him by the citizens of Liverpool he talked to them charmingly of old times. He spoke of the state of their city in the time of Queen Elizabeth, when it contained only 138 householders and when its inhabitants presented a petition to the Government lamenting and setting forth the decay of the town and praying to be restored to their former prosperity. He talked about the appearance of the town when he was a small boy, and compared its condition and size then with its present state. He noticed the efforts that had been made to improve the city both morally and materially. He, in fact, made an unpretending but at the same time a most interesting speech.

This is how the Times, which is very far from being politically favorable to Mr. Gladstone, notices the Premier's visit to Liverpool and the tribute of respect and esteem that he received from its inhabitants:

On Saturday one of the most stanchly Conservative cities of the United Kingdom unanimously conferred the highest honor in its gift upon the Liberal Prime Minister. It is in our own country alone that such an incident is possible. In no other land have the body of the citizens attained to that broad, tolerant habit of civic thought which enables them to feel a sincere respect, a warm admiration, and a hearty personal regard for men whose political opinions and actions they reprobate and condemn. This wise generosity in our public life is a precious feature in the national character, the value of which is instinctively appreciated by the great body of the people. There is not a Unionist of any mark in the United Kingdom who will not rejoice that the wonderful city on the Mersey has paid public homage to the many splendid qualities of Mr. Gladstone, or who will not feel that she has but honored herself in honoring her most famous son.

This is admirable. It is most edifying to see the leading journal of the British Opposition expressing itself in this kindly and whole-souled manner respecting the virtues and the talents of the Leader of the British Government. It shows that there is no smallness in the higher politics of Great Britain. Men there, though taking widely different views on public matters and expressing themselves when occasion requires in the strongest and most forcible manner, are ready to give their opponents credit for the abilities they possess, and to do their share towards maintaining their reputation and extending their fame. To be able thus to separate the man from his opinions and his political standing requires a largeness of mind and a liberality of spirit which we fear very few practical politicians out of England possess. We are glad to see that in this country the amenities of public life are being cultivated and that politicians, whether in the Legislature or in the Press, are better able than they were, not many years ago, to form a correct estimate of the character and the talents of those whose opinions on public matters are different from their own. It is greatly to be hoped that they will go on improving until they attain to that broad and tolerant habit of civic thought which will enable them "to feel a sincere respect, a warm admiration, and a hearty personal regard for men whose political opinions and actions they reprobate and condemn."

CHEERFUL SPEECH.

It is refreshing to read the speech delivered by the Hon. Mr. Wood, Controller of Inland Revenue, on the day he was returned by acclamation. He spoke cheeringly and hopefully of the Dominion. He showed by facts and figures that could not be controverted that the Dominion is in a prosperous condition, and that there is really no foundation for the jeremiads of the blue-ruin orators and writers.

One of the subjects on which these melancholy politicians love to expatiate in dismal tones is the debt of the Dominion. Mr. Wood showed that Canada's national debt had increased only nine millions in six years, and that in those six years the outlay on capital account, that is, for works of a permanent nature, was $25,980,000. Canada has therefore something tangible to show for the increase of her indebtedness. The money, the prophets of evil to the contrary notwithstanding, was not wasted or stolen. But if the burden of the debt is to be measured by its weight on the shoulders of the people, there has been no increase, but rather a slight lessening during the last six years. At the beginning of that period the interest paid on the public debt amounted to $8,692,000. Last year the interest was $8,677,000. Mr. Wood's showing with regard to the debt was therefore the reverse of discreditable to the Government. Considering Canada's position, her assets, and the necessity there is for developing her great resources as speedily as possible, her debt, though considerable, is nothing to complain of and nothing to grieve over. It is like the debt contracted by a prosperous mercantile concern to extend its business and to make available its resources. Mr. Wood showed that the trade of the country, both import and export, had during the last two years very considerably increased, and he related some facts with regard to the influence which the operation of the McKinley tariff has had on Canada, which are well worthy the consideration of the people. He said:

The exports from Canada to Great Britain show an increase of nearly $15,000,000, while those to the United States show a decrease of $3,000,000. Our efforts to secure a foothold upon English markets have been so successful that while the diminution of our exports to the United States have been $3,000,000, the increase to Great Britain has been five times that of the decrease to the United States.

These facts show both that the American haters of Canada have greatly miscalculated, and that the elasticity of Canadian trade and the resourcefulness of the Canadian people are much greater than many of even the friends of Canada supposed.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

The above named gentlemen having been chosen at a Citizens' Meeting held on Monday evening last, to represent the city as Aldermen and School Trustees for the year 1893, your support and hearty co-operation to elect them is earnestly solicited.

B. GORDON, Chairman.
de21 B. BOGGS, Secretary.

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The St. Andrew's & Caledonian Society invites tenders up to noon on 6th January next, for the lease of the Caledonia Park for the year 1893. For further information apply to Mr. R. MITCHELL, Chairman Park Committee

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Secretary.
December 23, 1892. de21

MAPLE RIDGE DYKIN COMMISSIONERS.

Tenders are asked for the purchase of debentures to the amount of $80,000, to be issued by the Maple Ridge Dyking Commissioners under the provisions of the Drainage and Dyking Act, 1888 and 1892 of British Columbia.

For full particulars apply to A. St. G. Hamersley, Solicitor, Vancouver, B. C.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be addressed under sealed cover endorsed "Tender for Debentures" to A. G. Gamble, Clerk to the Commissioners, Post Office, New Westminster, B. C., on or before the 31st day of December, 1892.

(Signed) W. J. HARRIS,
no12 Chairman of Commissioners.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 67 Block H, Victoria West, in the City of Victoria.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above lot will be issued to Thomas Allsop, on the 17th day of March, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 12th December, 1892. dec13-3mo

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot Six, Medina Grove, Victoria City (Map 65)

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Joseph Levy to the above lot bearing date the 6th day of October, 1884, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; "Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th December, 1892. dec6-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 16 and 17, Group 1, Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

A certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Forbes George Vernon, on the 11th day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, October 12, 1892. oc13

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 56, Block H, Victoria West, and Lot 1468 in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to Thomas Allsop on the 6th day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, Oct. 4, 1892. } oc5

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Sixth Annual Meeting of the British Columbia Fire Insurance Company will be held at the Company's office, 61 Yates street, Victoria, on Thursday, January 19th, 1893, at four p. m., when the annual report of the company will be presented. Members of the company are requested to attend.

December 16th, 1892.
WM. DALBY,
dec17-1mo Manager.

NOTICE - OF - ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds Act 1890."

Notice is hereby given that Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien, both of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, grocers, doing business under the name and style of "Hughes & O'Brien," have by deed dated the 17th day of December, 1892, assigned all the real and personal estate of them and each of them to Percy Wollaston the younger, of the City of Victoria, in the said Province, accountant, in trust, for the purpose of paying and satisfying, proportionately and without preference or priority, the creditors of the said Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien and each of them. The said deed was executed by the said assignors and by the said assignee, on the 17th day of December, 1892. All persons having claims against the said Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien or either of them, are required to forward particulars of the same, duly verified, to the assignee on or before the 15th day of January, 1893. All persons indebted to the said Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien or either of them, are required to pay the amount of such indebtedness to the said assignee forthwith. After the 31st day of January, 1893, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Dated the 17th day of December, 1892.
BODWELL & IRVING,
21 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C.,
dec20-14t Solicitors for the Assignee.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that Murdoch Allan Morrison, of the city of Victoria, carpenter and builder, has assigned all his real and personal property to James Lemuel Arthur, of 152 Yates street, in the said city of Victoria, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Murdoch Allan Morrison.

The said deed was executed by the said assignor and trustee on the 13th day of December, A. D., 1892, and the assignee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said Murdoch Allan Morrison must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the assignee at Victoria on or before the 13th day of February, A. D., 1893. All persons indebted to the said Murdoch Allan Morrison are required to pay the amount due by them to the said assignee forthwith. After the said 13th day of February, A. D., 1893, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned on Thursday, the fifth day of January, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

ALAN S. DUMBLETON,
51 Langley street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Assignee.
Dated this 15th day of December, 1892.
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THE CITY.

The Mayoralty.

A requisition was in circulation Thursday and yesterday in favor of Mr. William Dalby, and up to last evening had been signed by over four hundred ratepayers. An hour before leaving for the North, Mr. Dalby was called upon, and consented to stand for the mayoralty if the electors desired him to do so. He will, therefore, enter the field against Mayor Beaven, and his advocates are confident that he will be Victoria's mayor for 1893.

The Date Decided.

A meeting will be held at Victoria West school-house this evening, at 8 o'clock, to select a candidate for the forthcoming municipal election.

In Holy Matrimony.

Mr. Hugh Milne and Miss Alice Cutler, both of Sooke, were united in marriage yesterday morning at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. D. MacRae.

The Tricycle Fund.

The tricycle fund now totals $168 90, the last subscriptions received being as below: Charlie Wilson, .50; Tommy Wilson, .50; Joe Wilson, .50; and Sadie Wilson, .50.

A New Home in Alberni.

James Redford, of Alberni, and Mary Davidson of this city, were united in marriage on the 29th inst. by Rev. John Campbell, D. D., of the First Presbyterian Church.

Waldeck's Case.

A letter received yesterday by Chief Sheppard from Detective Anthony, San Francisco, announced that the case of Waldeck alias Wolffe, had been fixed for the 27th inst., and that the embezzler was still in custody.

The City Revenue.

The case of T. B. Pearson, charged with an infraction of the City Revenue By-law, was called at the police court yesterday morning, and by consent again adjourned. It will be heard, according to present arrangements, on Tuesday morning.

St. Paul's Church Has a Bell.

Rev. D. MacRae received, a day or two ago, from Mr. John Weir, West Flamboro, Ont., his brother-in-law, who visited Victoria last summer, a bell for the use of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West. The bell will call the congregation together for the first time for divine service on New Year's morning.

To Change Offices.

Superintendent F. S. Hussey, of the Provincial police, has decided to have his headquarters office moved from the Attorney-General's department across the Bay to the court house. The Superintendent's office will be the one adjoining the present Provincial police office, an entrance to the latter being made at the end of the hall. The new arrangement will afford much more convenience than the old one did.

An Association Practice Game.

The following teams of the Victoria Association Football club will play a practice game at the Caledonia grounds to-day. All members are requested to turn out so that the team picked for the game against Seattle on Monday may have a good practice. The names are:

Alexander, Howard, Glen, Tyrell, Drake, Fowkes, Lawson, Goward, Heap, Punnet, Lawson.

Boyd, Earsman, Bennet, Raynes, Muir, Myers, Spring, Selkirk, Cartwright, Goward and Allen.

It is proposed to dine the visitors after the game at the Victoria hotel on Monday night, and as a compliment to the boys from the Sound it is expected that as many members will attend as possible.

Chinese Cleanliness.

Yun Min, who runs a wash-house at the corner of Chatham and Government streets, was up in the Police court yesterday morning, charged with a breach of the Sanitary by-law. Officer Redgrave proved to having three times cautioned the Celestial to "clean up," but on the 27th inst. he paid the unsavory quarters another visit, and found them to be in as unsanitary a condition as ever. In a small yard adjoining the premises some dozen fowls disported themselves and seemed to thrive on the liberal diet of bad apples with which the place was strewn. Inside things were little better. Dirty clothes lay around, but at a civil distance from garments which had gone through the process called washing. The offending Chinaman was fined $10 and $2 costs, and left the court with the expressed intention of keeping his domicile cleaner in future.

The Wily Chinaman.

For upwards of an hour yesterday morning Magistrate Macrae was engaged in the Police court in the investigation of a charge preferred against one Goo Ah Gun of running a pawn shop without a license. Deputy City Rate Collector Smith, accompanied by Sergeant Levin, visited a Chinaman on Fisgard street, and having marked some silver coin to the amount of $4.80, sent him to the office of the defendant armed with a pawn ticket to secure the release of a watch alleged to have been taken in pledge. Some fifteen minutes afterwards the officer and Collector Smith went to the defendants, where they found their messenger, and the marked money they had given him in the defendant's desk. It was not, however, proven that Goo Ah Gun had taken the watch in pledge and the case was dismissed, the magistrate expressing regret that so much of the time of the court should have been taken up hearing the evidence. His Worship advised the prosecution to be better prepared with their cases in future before bringing them into court.

A Programme That Pleased.

The South Saanich lodge I.O G.T. held another of their enjoyable socials at the Agricultural Hall, South Saanich, on Wednesday evening. A large and varied programme was gone through. Mrs. Robinson ably officiated at the piano, Mrs. Oates rendered two songs in an effective manner. the Misses Roberts sang in their usual excellent style. Recitations by Miss E. Oates were very good, as also were those by Messrs. Mitchell and Snyder and Miss Matthews. The Victoria lodges were well represented. Mr. Watson, of Perseverance lodge, was enthusiastically received in his song, "The Little Hero," which was loudly encored, as was also Miss Banfield, of Spring Ridge, in her splendid recitation. Songs by Messrs. Christmas, Tanners, Mitchell, Cox, and the Misses Mills, Miss G. Oates and Miss Matthews were heartily applauded. A sketch, entitled "A Bachelor's Wants," by Messrs. Mitchell, Matthews and Dean, was very amusing. The event of the evening, a farce entitled "That Dreadful Dog," the characters in which were taken by Messrs. Tanner, Stewart, Gale and Miss Oates, was uproariously encored and replied to with an old favorite, "McGinty's Employment Agency," the local hits in which took well. The audience, which was the largest on record, did justice to the refreshments served by the ladies of the lodge. The singing of the National Anthem concluded a most enjoyable evening.

Of Interest to Victorians.

The following clipping from the Portland Oregonian's criticism of a recent production of the "Bohemian Girl," by amateur talent, will interest Victorians: "Miss Anna Shaw made a stately gipsy queen. The score is well suited to her admirable voice, and her acting was at times remarkably fine, particularly in the passionate lyric, 'Bliss Forever Past,' and in her scenes with Devilshoof."

First Offences.

There were three prisoners in the Police court dock yesterday morning charged with drunkenness, but it being their first offence they were discharged with a caution. Magistrate Macrae makes it a rule not to fine a person charged with drunkenness for the first time, and the few words of fatherly advice he gives the penitent ones have, frequently, the desired effect.

Rugby Football.

The James Bay Junior and Sunflower clubs play their fourth match of the series at the Hill on Monday at 10:30 a.m. sharp. Of the three games already played the Bays have won one and the other two have ended in a draw. Both teams will strive hard to gain the next match, and an interesting game is expected. Members who wish to play on their respective teams are requested to be out to practice at 3 p.m to-day.

Another Dead Chinaman.

The Chinese "hospital" has added another to its list of victims. The latest arrival, Chin Toi Hou, died a short time after being brought to the place. The first knowledge of his arrival was gained by Sanitary Officer Bailey, who discovered him Thursday afternoon. The man was then in a dying condition and expired shortly afterward. Dr. Duncan, city health officer, was notified of the death, and having satisfied himself, from the information received from Officer Bailey and Undertaker Story, that the man did not die from any contagious disease, issued the usual certificate to the City Clerk for a burial permit. This was issued and the man was buried yesterday.

New Officers.

The following is the list of officers of Western Star lodge, No. 7, A.O.U.W., for the year 1893: E. J. Salmon, Past Master Workman; J. W. W. Cherry, Master Workman; C. W. Kirk, Foreman; J. H. Hughes, Overseer; F. Shakespeare, Recorder; A. Clunk, Financier; A. Kirk, Receiver; A. Semple, Guide; W. Sommerville, Inside Watchman; G. Fagan, Outside Watchman; Grand Lodge Delegate, J. H. Hughes. The new officers will be installed by Grand Master Leiser on Monday, the 9th prox. This meeting will be largely attended, no doubt, as all Workmen in the city have been invited to attend for the discussion of matters of grave importance to the order at large.

'Twas Whiskey Did It.

James Sullivan was brought up on remand at the Police court yesterday, and a penitent creature he looked as he stood in the dock. There were two charges of grievous assault against him—his accusers being two of his best friends. Mr. Belyea appeared for the prosecution and asked permission to amend and modify the summonses so that common assault would be the charge. His Worship complied, and the prisoner was asked to plead. He penitently acknowledged his guilt, adding, that "'Twas whiskey did it." Sullivan was on a big spree, and proceeded to break up the furniture in the house rented to him by Edwin Booth. The latter put in a bailiff, and this so exasperated the drunken man that he seized a razor and swore he would cut the throats of both landlord and bailiff. The half-crazed man was given in custody, and has been so held since the 22nd inst. His Worship sentenced Sullivan to one month's imprisonment in each case, telling him that he should be very thankful the more serious charge was withdrawn.

Hogmanay Concert To-Night.

The arrangements which have been made for the Hogmanay night concert this evening, under the auspices of the Sir William Wallace Society, ensure a first-class performance. The programme is as follows:

PART I.

Piano Solo—"Selected".....Mr. Ernest Wolff
Song—"The Dream of Love"....Miss L. O'Neil
Song—"Jessie's Dream".....Mr. J. G. Brown
Duet—"What are the Wild Waves Saying"
.....Miss A. Wolff and Mr. A. Brownlie
Song—"Wha'll be King but Charlie"
.....Madame Laird
Highland Fling (in Scottish Highland Costume).....Miss McKenzie
Song—"Afton Water"....Mr. W. D. Kinnaird
Song—"Caller Herrin'".....Miss B. Jameson
Reading (Scotch)..... Miss E. G. Lawson

PART II.

Sword Dance (in Scottish Highland Costume)..... Master J. R. McKenzie
Song—"My Sailor Love"..... Miss A. Wolff
Song (Scotch).....Mr. J. G. Brown
Violin Solo—"Selected,".....Mr. E. Wolff
Song—"Mary of Argyle".....Madame Laird
Song—"Star of Bethlehem".....Mr. P. Gordon
Song—"Comin' thro' the Rye" ..Miss L. O'Neil
Recitation (Scotch)—"Jeems Kaye at the Calico Ball".....Mr. W. Allan
Duet—"Larboard Watch".....
..... Messrs A. Brownlie and P. Gordon
Auld Lang Syne,
God Save the Queen.

Mr. Ernest Wolff will act as accompanist. The concert will open at 8 o'clock.

Prizes.

Hy. Gribble begs to inform the ticket holders that the drawing for the prizes at the Victoria Bazaar, 84 Government street, will take place next Tuesday, the 3rd of January at 7 o'clock, evening, instead of on the 12th as advertised. dec31-2t

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Christmas Turkeys.

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Reading this item, as Lange & Co. did not succeed in selling their business for the figure agreed to to their Eastern friend, nor in disposing of all of their stock this Christmas to the public. And as the building wherein they have conducted business for the last 17 years is to be destroyed shortly and a new one erected in place, under the circumstances Lange & Co. are obliged to re-open in their own place, No. 88 Douglas street, opposite Odd Fellows' hall. Reduced sales will continue until goods which are left are sold. Any one wishing to secure a good going business established since 30 years, can do so at a very reasonable figure. And the new premises can be rented at a moderate rate. *

They Have Arrived.

Among the arrivals on last evening's boat was a car of very choice Eastern apples for B. Gordon. *

Lumber for Port Pirie.

The Vancouver tug Active towed the British ship Abeona, 979 tons, Capt. Black, to sea on Thursday last. The Abeona is loaded with 775,140 feet of rough lumber from the Hastings saw mill for Port Pirie.

At the Victoria Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, of the Victoria Gardens, will repeat their delightful Christmas dinner party, and entertain a number of invited guests in a similar manner to-morrow. A very pleasant time will, no doubt, result.

A Damaged Letter Box.

The P. O. letter box at the corner of Richardson and Vancouver streets must have been tampered with, for the carrier yesterday found the lock out of order, and it had to be filed off before the box could be opened.

Their Names Omitted.

Unfortunately the names of Mrs. Caldwell and Mrs. Allan were omitted in the report of the International Dinner given in yesterday morning's issue. These ladies were among those who presided over the Canadian table.

Bonded for $50,000.

It is understood that a deal was completed yesterday by means of which Dr. Milne's property, on the corner of Douglas and Broughton streets, was bonded for 60 days by an English syndicate. The price was set in the neighborhood of $50,000.

Second of the Series.

The St. Andrew's Choral society, whose recent sacred concert in the new cathedral was very much appreciated by the music-loving community, will give a secular concert in Institute hall—the second recital of their season—on the evening of January 18, the programme being made up of the works of Schubert, Dudley Buck, Mendelssohn, Flotow, and Verdi.

Spokane and Great Northern Mining Co.

Mr. A. B. Keeler, vice-president and treasurer of the Spokane and Great Northern Mining Company, is in town on business in connection with his company. In order to conform with the requirement of the law, he will establish an agency for the company at this point. This company have some very good claims in the Boundary creek district, and propose to do some extensive work in that section during the coming season.

Watching the Death.

The various churches that are accustomed to hold watch night services have arranged for the due observance of the custom this evening. At St. Saviour's Rev. W. D. Barber will conduct the services, commencing at 11 p.m. In most of the other churches services conducted by the pastors will be held at the same hour, and the old custom of watching for the passing of the year will be generally observed. The number of private parties which will also follow the pleasant custom is large and old '92 can be sure of a mirthful funeral. The usual New Year's dancing parties are but few in number, owing to the New Year falling on Sunday, but some will be held, the dancing to cease at 12 o'clock.

Christmas Amusement.

There was a very pleasing Christmas entainment given in the Victoria West Baptist Mission Church last evening. A tree laden with presents for the Sunday school children was arranged for the occasion, which was made still more attractive by the renditon of the appended programme:

Address .....Chairman
Opening chorus.....School
Recitation.....Fred Wilson
Solo.....Mattie Andrews
Recitation.....Edith Pointer
Duet.....Alice and Marion Smith
Reading.....Mrs. Dougall
Recitation.....Percy Wilson
Solo.....Miss B. Mould
Recitation.....James Pointer
Solo.....Ethel Wilson
Recitation.....Gertie Knoppett
Reading.....Mr. Huggett
Duet.....Gertie Knoppett and Dorothy Few
Solo.....Mattie Andrews
Address.....Rev. Mr. Coombes
Duet.....Misses Clyde and Steele

At St. Paul's, Victoria West.

Last evening's performance in the Victoria West hall will no doubt be remembered for many a day to come by the Sunday school boys and girls of St. Paul's Presbyterian church. The presents which Santa Claus handed out from the pretty Christmas tree erected on the stage were such as would greatly please the older scholars and charm the juveniles. Tea was served in the hall from 4:30 o'clock until about three hours later, when a programme of an enjoyable character was presented, the different numbers of which were as follows:

Sunday School Volunteer Song by the School.
Recitation.....Jennie Torrance
Recitation.....Tenie Todd
Recitation.....James Anderson
Violin Duet.....Miss Russell and H. Welsh
Recitation.....Verna McLaren
Recitation .....Jennie Anderson
Class Song.....Miss Semple's
Recitation.....Maggie Tagg
Recitation.....Pearl Welsh
Dialogue, by Alice McArthur, Maggie Cessford and Georgie Cayin.
Recitation.....Nellie Russell
Recitation.....Jennie Tagg
Song.....T. Cessford and R. Welsh
Recitation.....Viola Semple
Recitation.....Eliza Skinner
Recitation.....Tommy Cessford
Concertina Solo.....H. Bruce
Class Song.....M. McLennan's
Recitation.....Ralph Welsh
Recitation.....Annie Anderson
Swedish Recitation.....Emma Lind
Song.....Mary Burnett
Recitation.....Hilda Young
Recitation.....Nellie Anderson
Class Song.....Miss McKay's
Recitation.....Ethel Carol
Recitation.....Harold Russell
Recitation.....Helmar Jacobson
Closing Piece....."God Be With You"....School

Unclean Chinatown.

Although upwards of one hundred nuisances in Chinatown have been abated within the past 30 days, there still remain many yet to be dealt with. Dr. Duncan, health officer, and Officer Redgrave had this thoroughly impressed upon them early yesterday morning when they made a tour of "the quarter" and made discoveries which will be quickly followed by police court prosecutions. None but those familiar with the dark and unwholesome corners and crannies of Chinatown could imagine how filthy and how villainously unhealthy some places, not fifty yards from Government street, are. In one of the shacks visited yesterday morning, the health officer and his party were made the victims of an unkind practical joke. They had just been steered through a maze of dirty alleys into the back premises of a suspected house, which they inspected and then prepared to return to the street. What was their surprise to find that retreat had been cut off by the closing of numerous doors and the drawing of many bolts. On investigating their surroundings they found themselves all but afloat on a sea of mud and filth, while in its centre rose ghastly and smoking in the moonlight a little mountain of decaying and vile smelling refuse of every imaginable description, upon which the rats were holding high carnival. In this noisome dungeon, perched on improvised rafts, the prisoners gazed at the four back walls which bounded their prison, until one brave soul succeeded in scaling the slimy pyramid of roofs and rousing a couple of friendly Chinamen, who showed a dark and mysterious, yet welcome path out of the kingdom of the Dirt ruler.

Juvenile Thieves.

The police are on the trail of the youths who broke into the factory of Messrs. McKillican & Anderson on Sunday last. One of the foxy boys has been traced, and he is liable to squeal on his companions.

Col. Prior's Brigade.

The current number of the Canadian Military Gazette contains an excellent portrait of Lieut.-Colonel E. G. Prior, M.P., heading a historical sketch of the British Columbia Brigade of Garrison Artillery, which he commands. The sketch is No. II of a series intended to include each corps in the Dominion.

The Snohomish Indians.

The Snohomish Indians are preparing for a big potlach to be held, according to present arrangements, on the 3rd prox. The Hudson Bay store presented a lively scene yesterday as the "old folks" still go there for their supplies, many of them remembering the time when the Hudson Bay fort was their only source of supply.

Santa at Spring Ridge.

The holiday entertainment prepared for the children of the Sunday school at Spring Ridge in connection with the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church, was enjoyed by the little ones and their friends last evening. Mr. McIntosh, the superintendent, presided, the singing being under the direction of Mr. F. Watson, and Santa Claus himself distributed the gifts from the Christmas tree, which bore something for each and all. The programme discussed during the evening was a good and well varied one, comprising songs, recitations and two or three excellent instrumental duets.

Donations for '97.

The treasurer of the Refuge Home thankfully acknowledges the following donations for the year 1892: Hon. John Robson, $50; R. Dunsmuir, $25; City Council, Christmas gift, $25; Rev. Canon Paddon, $20; A Friend, $20; Bishop of Columbia, $15; Turner, Beeton & Co., $15; Colbert & Warner, $12 50; B. C. Land and Investment Agency, $15; Fell & Co., $10; T. Earle, $10; Mrs. Capt. Grant, $10; Dr. Helmcken, $10; Green, Worlock & Co., $10; A. C. Flumerfelt, $10; Sisters of Rebekah, $10. The following have each contributed $5: Mrs. W. Dempster, Mrs. A. N. Richards, Mrs. J. E. Gardner, J. P. Matthews, Mrs. D. A. McTavish, Mrs. Ashdown Green, Mrs. A. Munroe, Mrs. McCulloch, Mrs. C. Scriven, Mrs. Erb, Mrs. R. Finlayson, Mrs. J. W. Williams, Mrs. M. M. Waitt, Joseph Nicolaye, John Weiler, W. J. Pendray, A. R. Milne, A. W. Vowell, Mrs. White, Mrs. E. Turner, Mrs. C. Holland, Mrs. Elford, Mrs. Crease, W. C. Ward, J. Boscowitz, A. B. Gray, P. McQuade, E. B. Marvin & Co., E. B. Carmichael, E. G. Prior, J. Gosnell, W. Walker, H. J. Scott, Mrs. Carne, C. N. N. Stewart, G. H. Burns, Dr. Crompton, J. E. Crane, A. G. (Bank of Montreal), C. Hayward, Brackman & Ker, E. E. Wootton; and T. Trounce, $1. The following have each contributed $2 50: Geo. Powell & Co., Mrs. G. Rudlin, Mrs. C. Marshall, R. T. Williams, N. Shakespeare, J. Hutcheson & Co., Schl-Hastie-Erskine Co A Friend, Mrs. H. O. Tiedeman, Mrs. A. J. Bechtel, Mrs. J. Crowthers, Mrs. W. J. Dowler, C. Kent, J. P. Pelletier, J. Doherty; and Mrs. Heisterman, $3. The following have each contributed $2: Mrs. Wm. Wilson, Mrs. M. F. Higgins, McMillan Bros., Mrs. A. J. Clyde, John H. Simpson, A Friend, Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. Flett, D. C. Johnson, $1 each. Mr. Carter, Friend, Cash, C. Hackett, Mrs. F. Sehl, King & Minor, Mr Colvert, A. M. Leitch, A. Lee, Dr. Hartmann, S. Hanson, A. Campbell, G. Jay, Mrs. Close, A. Clay, Shore & Anderson, Mrs. Story, Mrs. Jor- and and friends. G. L. Simpson, $3.50.

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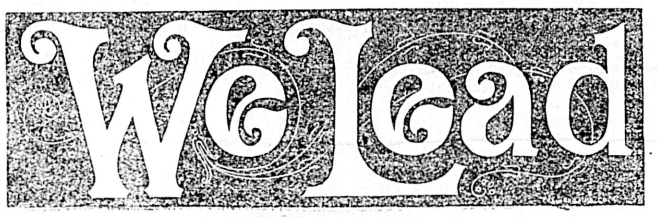

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CORRIG COLLEGE.

The Principal's Report for the Past Year—Increased Attendance—Larger Staff.

Fresh Honors for Past and Present Corrig Boys—Examination Results.

The Christmas reports of Victoria's Boys College, with tabulated lists of the results of the recent examinations, are issued by Principal J. W. Church, M.A., this morning. He commences by remarking that—

"Notwithstanding the difficulties with which Victoria has had to contend during the past year, the steady and continued growth and success of Corrig College has been more marked than before. Not alone do I refer to the increase in numbers, which has been noticeable, but rather to the steady improvement in the general standard of educational efficiency throughout all the classes of the College. The curriculum has been enlarged, the amount and difficulty of each paper have been increased, the percentage of marks necessary for a pass has been twice raised, and yet the general average is higher and the percentage of failures lower than at any previous examination.

"I note also what I consider a better sign than ever (since the clever boy is no criterion of the teacher's ability, but the dull one), that only two lads have a general average of less than a third, and each of these has not been a term with us. Palpably this success is in no sense personal, but is almost entirely due to the efficient and untiring services of the other masters, the energy, loyalty and enthusiasm of the scholars and the interest of the parents.

"Owing to increased attendance, changes have taken place since the last report—another master has joined our staff, and class rooms to accommodate two fresh divisions have been added to the college. The latter are already so nearly full that a further enlargement will probably be needed next summer. The elementary department of the college has already proved a great success; the age limit to which has now been altered so that suitable scholars of about nine years of age or over, who can read, write and understand the four simple rules of arithmetic, are eligible for admission.

"The Beacon Hill Park extension of the N. E. T. Co. has now been brought to the doors of the college, and the present frequent and excellent service affords a ready means of transit for our day scholars, who have school, playground and sports brought to their very doors.

"I am pleased to record from time to time how well our old Corrig boys are doing, both in the battle of life and in the 'battle of the books.' Since last report R. Dunsmuir has successfully entered at Malvern College, England, while J. Pemberton has continued to gain excellent marks at his recent examinations at University College, London. W. Earle has also been making good progress, distinguishing himself as he used to at Corrig in languages. At Bedford Grammar school all the three Corrig boys have already attracted attention, Macdonald being ready to leave for University, Ray Green having become a monitor, and Frank Green gaining distinction.

"In conclusion, all our old boys will be grieved to hear that R. Carr has had to leave Upper Canada College, his health being unable to withstand the terrible rigour of the Port Hope winter."

OUTLINE OF RESULTS.

In class subjects the following students lead with marks of distinction:

GROUP I.—ENGLISH.

Language and Grammar.—(Class 1), G. Kitto, 88; A. Kitto, 87; (Class 2) S. Child, 89; H. Wilson, 73; R. Rome, 72; H. Wilmot, 70; R. Child, 70; (Class 3), N. Wilmot, 62; F. Bone, 61; G. Brown, 60.

History and Elementary Literature.—(Class 1), P. Higgins, 87; H. Lawson, 85; A. Field, 85; G. Kitto, 85; G. Wilson, 82; A. Kitto, 80; J. Macleod, 80; (Class 2), R. Fell, 75; H. Wilson, 74; (Class 3), F. Mitten, 75; G. Brown, 65; P. Goepel, 60; T. Lubbe, 60.

Advanced English Literature.—(Class 1), G. Kitto, 89; H. Lawson, 80; A. Kitto, 70.

Writing and Correspondence.—(Class 1), A. Field, 88; G. Kitto, 88; H. Lawson, 87; E. Erb, 76; (Class 2), A. Goward, 70; G. Kane, 70; C. Dunlevy, 70; M. Grahame, 68; J. Hunter, 66; (Class 3), F. Mitten, 70; P. Goepel, 70; T. Lubbe, 60; (Class 4), J. Hayward, 60.

Spelling and Dictation.—(Class 1), P. Higgins, 95; A. Kitto, 94; G. Kitto, 90; A. Field, 88; J. Rithet, 88; J. Macleod, 86; (Class 2), H. Wilson, 94; S. Child, 86; R. Rome, 81; H. Erb, 82; D. Hunter, 82; H. Wilmot, 79; (Class 3), T. Lubbe, 78; P. Goepel, 77; G. Brown, 75; J. Lawson, 66; K. Gillespie, 64; N. Wilmot, 60; (Class 4), F. Mason and D. Scholefield, commended.

Geography.—(Class 1) G. Kitto, 85; L. Hartnagel, 79; P. Higgins, 78; P. Austin, 77; (Class 2) R. Rome, 86; S. Child, 85; H. Erb, 80; A. Vernon, 76; R. Fell, 76; (Class 3) F. Mitten, 70; G. Brown, 69.

Composition.—A. Kitto, 87; G. Kitto, 85; (Class 2) H. Wilson, 70; M. Grahame, 70; (Class 3) R. Harris, 65; C. Harris, 60.

GROUP II—MATHEMATICS.

Mental.—(Class 1) H. Lawson, 90; L. Hartnagel, 81; G. Johnston, 78; (Class 2) S. Child, 86; A. Goward, 80; G. Kane, 70; (Class 3) F. Bone, 77.

Arithmetic.—(Class 1) H. Lawson, 96; G. Kitto, 94; E. Erb, 90; L. Hartnagel, 85; A. Field, 82; A. Kitto, 81; F. Norris, 76; (Class 2) S. Child, 96; H. Erb, 90; A. Goward, 86; A. Vernon, 75; (Class 3) F. Bone, 65; G. Brown, 60; (Class 4) D. Scholefield, commended.

Euclid.—G. Kitto, 90; A. Kitto, 86; H. Lawson, 84; L. Hartnagel, 76; E. Erb, 75.

Algebra.—H. Lawson, 89; A. Field, 69; E. Erb, 69; L. Hartnagel, 60; J. Rithet, 70.

GROUP III. LANGUAGES.

French—(Class 1) G. Kitto, 91; A. Kitto, 89; L. Hartnagel, 79. (Division 2) J. Rithet, 73; P. Higgins, 68; (Class 2) elementary, S. Child, 67; R. Rome, 60; (Class 3) E. Rithet, C. Harris and R. Harris commended.

Latin—(Class 1, Advanced) G. Kitto, 93; A. Kitto, 88; (Elementary) J. Rithet, 78; J. Macleod 74; (Class 2) S. Child, 74; (Class 3) T. Lubbe commended.

GROUP IV, GENERAL SCIENCES.

(Class 1) G. Kitto, 89; A. Kitto, 80; (Class 2) S. Child, 70; H. Erb, 66; A. Goward, 66; H. Wilson, 65; J. Hunter, 60.

GROUP V. HOLY SCRIPTURE.

(Class 1) G. Kitto, 96; A. Kitto, 96; G. Wilson, 75; (Class 2) H. Wilson, 85; S. Child, 77; A. Goward, 75; R. Fell, 75; D. Hunter, 74; J. Hunter, 70; (Class 3) R. Harris, 72; N. Wilmot, 72; F. Mitten, 70; K. Gillespie, 68; E. Rithet, 66; F. Bone, 65; C. Harris, 61.

GROUP VI. ART.

Map Drawing—(Class 1) E. Erb, 90; A. Field, 88; A. Kitto, 85; G. Kitto, 80; G. Wilson, 75; G. Johnston, 75; (Class 2) A. Goward, 80; D. Hunter, 77; H. Wilson, 76; R. Fell, 75; R. Child, 70; (Class 3) B. Le Neven, 85; P. Goepel, 80; R. Harris, 75; E. Rithet, 60; (Class 4) J. Hayward, commended.

Freehand—(Class 1), G. Kitto, 86. (Class 2) H. Wilson 76; A. Goward, 75. (Class, 3) R. Harris, 70; F. Mitten, 68.

Model—(Class 1) A. Kitto, 86; G. Kitto, 89; P. Higgins, 75; J. Rithet, 70; P. Austin, 70; F. Norris, 70. (Class 2) A. Goward, 65; R. Child, 65; D. Hunter, 65.

Mnemonics—G. Kitto, 95; A. Field, 90; A. Kitto, 89; G. Wilson, 86; J. Rithet, 85; G. Johnston, 85; F. Prevost, 85; P. Higgins, 83.

Reading—(Class 1) J. Rithet and G. Kitto, excellent; A. Kitto and F. Prevost, highly commended. (Class 2) A. Goward, H. Wilson and S. and R. Child, highly commended. (Class 3) F. Mitten, P. Goepel, N. Wilmot and T. Lubbe, commended. (Class 4) D. Scholefield and F. Mason, commended.

The following scholars were unavoidably prevented from competing during either the whole or a portion of the examination: J. Peters and A. Vernon.

GRAND TOTALS.

The grand totals of the leading scholars only in each division, were as follows:

Class I. Division 1. G. Kitto, 1,420; A Kitto, 1,363; H. Lawson, 1,203. Division 2. P. Higgins, 1,073; J. Rithet, 915. Division 3. E. Erb, 900; G. Johnston, 775.

Class II. Division 1. S. Child, 984; A. Goward and H. Wilson, 786. Division 2. H. Erb, 728; D. Hunter, 721. Division 3. R. Rome, 760; R. Fell, 637.

Class III. Division 1. F. Mitton, 626; F. Bone, 581; P. Goepel, 570. Division 2 R. Harris, 528; E. Rithet, 526; N. Wilmot, 521. Division 3. T. Lubbe, 506.

Class IV. Division 1. K. Gillespie, 361.

PROMOTIONS.

From the result of the above examinations the following promotions take effect:

Class I., (into division 1), P. Higgins; (into division 2), E. Erb.

Class II., (promoted into class I, division 3), S. Child; (into division 1), H. Erb; (into division 2), R. Rome, D. Hunter, J. Hunter.

Class III., (promoted into class II., division 3), F. Mitten; (into division 1), R. Harris, E. Rithet, N. Wilmot; (into division 2), T. Lubbe.

Class IV., (promoted into class III., division 3), K. Gillespie.

The Principal will receive parents and new scholars on Monday January 9; the college will recommence work on Tuesday, January 10, 1893.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The N. P. R. Liner "Tacoma" in Quarantine With Smallpox on Board—Facts of the Case.

The Northern Pacific Company's steamer Tacoma, formerly the Batavia, arrived at 3:30 yesterday off the Outer wharf and, contrary to the usual practice, dropped anchor and did not come in to the dock. Dominion Quarantine Officer Dr. Jones went out on the quarantine steamer Earle, and after being on board a few minutes, left with his steamer and made off in the direction of the Albert Head quarantine station. Those on shore did not know what was the matter, as there was no yellow flag flying. Mr. Harry Connon, the agent of the company here and Mr. Alexander Stewart, of Dodwell, Carlill & Co., then chartered the tug Lottie and went out to the steamer as she lay at the anchorage. They were not allowed to go on board, but ascertained from the ship's officers that three or four days out from Yokohama a case of smallpox was discovered in the steerage among the Chinese passengers. The case was a mild one, but the patient was at once sent to the ship's hospital and the steerage apartments were all thoroughly fumigated and all passengers on board, Europeans and Chinese alike, were vaccinated. By the time the ship arrived here the patient had nearly recovered. Dr. Jones ordered the ship to go into quarantine and will land the passengers and have the ship, cargo and baggage fumigated. He will probably detain the ship for twenty-four hours and then allow her to proceed. Under the law he can put all the steerage passengers into quarantine for three weeks if he so desires, but it is thought that he will allow them all to go on after a short period, as the time of exposure to the contagion was ten days. Since the steamer Earle was fitted up with the dioxide blast for fumigating ships coming into port with infectious or contagious diseases on board, there has been fortunately no opportunity for using the apparatus until the present.

Dr. Macnaughton Jones returned about six o'clock last evening from the Abert Head quarantine station and to a COLONIST reporter who saw him shortly afterwards, he said:

"I landed the smallpox patient, his nurse and the Chinese doctor who was in attendance, there being no white surgeon on board. These three men are now at the quarantine station and are provided for and isolated. There are 97 other Chinese on board, 75 for this port and 22 for the American side. These will all be landed from the steamship to-morrow morning and will be held in quarantine until the period of incubation is past, when in case no more disease appears and no sign of it, they will be allowed to proceed. The first-class passengers will all be properly vaccinated with new bovine points, of which I have plenty. The ship will then be fumigated for 24 hours and on Sunday morning, providing everything has been done, she will be allowed to come up to the wharf and discharge her passengers and freight."

THE SAN PEDRO.

Work has again been suspended on the wrecked San Pedro, and in consequence the steamers Mascotte, Hope and Constance have been discharged, the Ark and Sadie being the only steamers held to do what work may turn up. Nothing more will now be done to the ship until a fine day comes, when a survey will be held, and if the vessel is not damaged more than is at present anticipated work will continue.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Badger went to Nanaimo yesterday morning for a scow load of coal.

Steamer Phantom left for Nanaimo last evening for coal.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz will resume her regular trips to the North on January 15. She is now receiving some trifling repairs.

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" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Princess Louise..... " Westminster.

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" Phantom..... " Nanaimo.
" Badger..... " "

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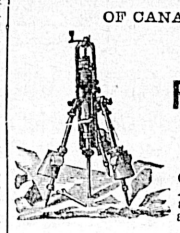

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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for a private bill to amend the "British Columbia Southern Railway Company Act, 1888," by making provision for an alternative line from Cranbrook by the St. Mary's River to Pilot Bay, on Kootenay Lake, or to the Lardeau River; and also to further amend the said Act by extending the time for the completion of the railway from the Summit of Crow's Nest to the International Boundary, and all branches thereof, for the period of one year beyond the time authorized by the said Act, and by extending the time for the completion of the Railway from Cranbrook to Kootenay Lake, and all branches thereof, for two years beyond the time authorized by the said Act, and by extending the time for the completion of the railway from Kootenay Lake to the coast, and all branches thereof, for the period of three years beyond the time authorized by the said Act; and also, to further amend the said Act so as to authorize and empower the Company to erect and maintain all necessary works for the generation and transmission of electricity or power within the area of the operations of the said Company, and with power to the Company to work minerals, coal and petroleum, and to erect and operate saw mills.

Dated the 14th day of December, A.D. 1892.
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NOTICE

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following Rule of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation of the Supreme Court from Saturday the 24th instant, until Tuesday the 3rd day of January, 1893, both dates inclusive.

During such period no pleadings shall be delivered or actions tried.

By Command.
JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary
Provincial Secretary's Office,
21st December, 1892. dec24-td

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
19th December, 1892.

SATURDAY the 24th, Monday the 26th, and Tuesday the 27th, instant, and Monday the 2nd, and Tuesday the 3rd, proximo, will be observed as holidays at the Public Offices, which will be closed on those days.

JAMES BAKER,
dec24-td Provincial Secretary.

AMENDED NOTICE.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1892.

SPRING ASSIZES.
(On Vancouver Island.)

Victoria.....Monday.....16th May
Nanaimo.....Tuesday..... 7th June
(On Mainland)
New Westminster..Wednesday..... 1st June
Kamloops.....Monday..... 6th June
Clinton.....Monday.....13th June

FALL ASSIZE.
(On Mainland.)

Richfield.....Monday.....12th Sept
Clinton.....Wednesday.....28th Sept
Kamloops.....Monday..... 3rd Oct
Lytton.....Monday.....10th Oct
New Westminster...Wednesday..... 9th Nov
(On Vancouver Island
Victoria.....Morday.....28th Nov
Nanaimo.....Tuesday..... 6th Dec

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Lardeau City is the entrance point for the Lardeau Pass, which reaches through to the head of Kootenay Lake, and application has already been made for a charter to build a Railway from Lardeau City to Lake Kootenay and Nelson.

Lardeau City is not a town competing with several other points in the same District. It is naturally the best point for supplying the surrounding Mining Country, and there is a brighter prospect for it to-day than there was for Kaslo a year ago. Lots purchased in the latter, last year, have been sold this summer at an advance of from two hundred to a thousand per cent.

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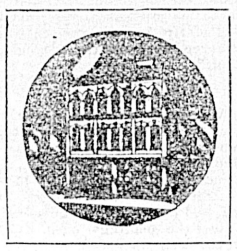

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TIME TABLE No. 17,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday September 30th, 1892. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

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GERMANY'S BUILDING.

A Handsome Structure for the Columbian Exposition.

The Materials Being Prepared at Home and Brought Over—To Be a Repository for Rare and Valuable Exhibits.

For several months active preparations have been going on in Germany for the erection of the empire's official headquarters at the world's fair. Under the direction of Architect Radtke, of of Berlin, who has designed some of the greatest government buildings in the empire, the heavy material to be used in the building has been put in shape. Huge blocks of sandstone have been taken from the quarries and all the iron supports that will go into the massive structure have been produced in German foundries. The first consignment of this material is expected soon, and, although nothing has been done on the building so far as the work at Jackson park is concerned, except to stake off the grounds, the German commissioners confidently expect to have the entire structure finished by the middle of October.

The building is a combination of typical styles of German architecture. It is on the old patrician order and resembling some of the structures yet to be seen in Nuremburg. The first story of the building will be of massive blocks of sandstone, the second a combination of brick and cement; broad wooden staircases lead from a wide hall within to the gallery upstairs. At one end of the building an artistic effect is produced by the erection of a cathedral rather on the gothic order. The building will be massive in construction, as a large number of valuable exhibits will probably be placed therein.

Herr Schars Alquist, who represents the German commission in Chicago, said that a number of exhibits would be put in the building because sufficient space could not be secured for them in the great building of the exposition. Rare vases in silver and gold, famous statuary and perhaps many precious metals will be made to produce artistic effects in the cathedral windows, some of the most famous designers in Germany having signified their intention to assist in decorating the cathedral. The interior of the building will be finished throughout with natural woods unpainted. It is not expected to have a particle of plastering or papering in the building, not even on the ceilings. Rich designs in natural wood effects will be a feature of the interior. August Fiedler, a German architect, has volunteered to superintend the construction of the building, which is to cost $125,000.

BULL FIGHTS FOR THE FAIR.

Two Spaniards Arranging to Introduce Their National Pastime in Chicago.

People may not have to go to Spain or Mexico next year to see a bull fight. If the plans now being perfected are not frustrated that amusement will be among the attractions of the world's fair. Juan Fernandez Villamil, of Havana, and Cyrus Berazaluce, of New York, are in Chicago arranging for the establishment near the exposition grounds of an arena in which baited bulls will battle with men and horses, as in Madrid, or Rio del Norte, across the Texas line. These two senors intend to build an amphitheater having a seating capacity of sixteen thousand people, in the center of which will be the ring, one hundred and fifty feet in diameter, in which the battle takes place. The Spaniards intend to reproduce the exhibition precisely as it is given in their native country. They conducted a similar entertainment at the Paris exposition, which was highly successful. Large crowds of all nationalities attended every performance and exhibited great pleasure every time a horse was gored or a picador had a narrow escape.

It is possible that the city authorities would object to such an exhibition, but in that event the Spaniards would tone the real fight down to meet the requirements of the most finicky alderman. The bull fights would then be only imitations of the gory affairs of old Spain. The animals would wear rubber tips on their sharp horns and the fighters would carry tinsel swords. But the two men don't want to be compelled to give such a tame performance, and are anxious to show the American people what a real bull fight is like. The more danger to the bull fighters, they say, the more interesting is the show. The fair authorities are inclined to encourage the enterprise.

A WORLD'S FAIR MAP.

When Finished It Will Cover Nearly an Acre of Ground.

The United States geological survey has been for ten years engaged in making a great map of the United States, parts of which will be on exhibition at the world's fair. The piece, six feet in length and four feet in width, now ready, includes the state of Connecticut and a bit of Long Island and eastern New York. This vast map will take at least twenty-five more years to complete. Its detail is such that upon it will be indicated every stream, brook, hillock, mountain, valley, farm, village and city. It will show every public and private road as completely as a surveyor's map of a small township. This map, when completed, would, if spread out, cover a little over three-quarters of an acre in superficial area. Of course it would be impossible to suspend such a map as to make it available for practical use, and therefore it will have to be published in sections.

In addition to this piece of the map of the United States the geological survey is preparing an outline map of the country, which will also be exhibited at the fair. It is to be spherical in shape. By it at a glance the different elevations, the tablelands, the mountain ridges and the valleys will be indicated in the outline, the highest peaks of the mountains being proportionately elevated as much above the sea level as are the peaks of the Rocky mountains above the Atlantic and Pacific coast lines.

OLD BELLBOYS.

Two in San Francisco That Are Over Fifty Years of Age.

The oldest bellboys, so called, in San Francisco, are now well along in years, says the Examiner of that city. Each has crossed the half-century mark by several summers and winters. There are three of these old bellboys. One of them, Nicholas Wynne, has made so much money from careful investments that he long ago retired. Two others are yet in the business and they trip upstairs as lightly and as speedily as any of the ten or twelve year olds who are just beginning. These strange veterans of the hotel corridors are Herman Graichen, of the Grand, and Billy Starrs, of the Lick. Everybody knows them. Billy has a striking Shakspearean brow. Herman has toiled in so many cities that he has collected a mass of most curious and highly interesting information about men and affairs.

Years ago, soon after the famous John Hay wrote his tragic poem of "Jim Bledsoe," and Mark Twain was learning to be a river pilot, Herman was employed on the Mississippi on the old steamer Andrew Johnson. She made the trip between St. Louis and Keokuk, and Tom McKay was running on her at that time. At the time of the great Chicago fire Graichen was bellboy in the Tremont house. His experience in Chicago also included the Sherman house and the Michigan Avenue hotel. He came here to the Occidental in 1873, and afterward for a short time he was at the Lick. In 1875 he went to the Grand, where he has ever since remained.

Billy Starrs slightly outdates Graichen as bellboy, notwithstanding the latter's long and strange experience. Starrs worked at the old Oriental away in the fifties. He was the chief factotum of the bells there many years, and was afterward identified with nearly all the leading hotels of San Francisco. He was at the Grand when the house opened, and at length went over to the Lick, where he has been now for a number of years.

Few of the airy young men who almost for the first time are enabled to stop at the hotel reflect that these bellboys who come at the wanging of the button are grandfathers, and that they have had experiences which, if written, would fill a book, and which would be of thrilling interest. They are the oldest bellboys west of the great plains, and possibly the oldest in the United States.

INDIA AT THE FAIR.

The Arts and Sciences of the Orient to Be Exhibited.

There is a great desire on the part of Europeans, Americans and men in the cities of India that there should be some adequate East India representation at the fair. So much in earnest are leading citizens in Bombay, Calcutta and Madras about the matter that they express a willingness to raise a fund sufficient to collect and send forward an exhibit which will be worthy of the Indian empire. The fact that the British authorities have not done more to promote an exhibit from India than to appoint an Indian committee to see what can be done in the matter has provoked criticism in the cities of India, especially in Bombay. Recently a large meeting of European, American and native men was held at the rooms of the Royal Asiatic society in the town hall of Bombay to consider the subject of Indian representation at the fair. The president made an address in favor of the movement and quoted a paragraph from the Bombay Times criticising the attitude of the government in India in not taking up Indian representation at the exposition. The meeting passed a resolution "that it is eminently desirable to organize a thorough representation of Indian life, products, manufactures and art at the world's fair in 1893." A special committee was appointed to consider the subject, and this committee was requested to prepare a scheme for representation at Chicago.

QUEBEC'S WALLS.

The Only Fortified City of North America.

The twenty-five million dollar fortifications of Quebec, the only walled city of the north, the Gibraltar of America, as her people are fond of calling her, are falling into decay, and the question now uppermost in the minds of the military authorities of Canada is whether they are worth the expenditure that would be necessary to place them again in a condition of good repair, and thenceforward to so maintain them, or whether they shall be allowed to crumble away of their own accord.

The present fortifications of Quebec are by no means so ancient as they are generally represented. They were planned by the late duke of Wellington, and only completed in 1832. As already indicated, twenty-five million dollars of good money was thrown away in their construction, and as the entire line of ramparts and bastions is two miles and three-quarters in length, it may readily be imagined how heavy would be the annual cost of keeping it in good repair. It should be added that these present works replaced the old French fortifications, which in their time cost, together with what was boodled by the colonial officials of the day, so immense a sum that Louis XIV asked on one occasion if the walls of Quebec were built of gold.

Drying Bananas.

Experiments have been made by the curator of the botanic gardens of the Island of Granada in drying bananas. A bunch of ripe bananas selling in the open market at twenty-five cents, and weighing with stems and skins about one hundred and twenty pounds, will yield when subjected to a temperature of from one hundred and thirty to one hundred and sixty degrees about thirty pounds of dried fruit, which sells at sixteen cents per pound. In appearance dried bananas resemble the plantain baked in sirup, and the curator estimates that the cost of growing, preparing and shipping dried bananas would not be more than two dollars, leaving a clear profit of two dollars on each bunch.

LADY COURIERS.

A New Employment for Members of the Gentler Sex.

In the numerous schemes for providing "our girls" with employment, writes Mrs. Crawford in London Truth, one outlet which might be greatly developed has been overlooked. The lady courier is not yet to the front. But she is likely to be so. I traveled a short time ago with one. She informed me that she spends as much time in steamers and railways as the queen's messenger or the indefatigable mother of the prince of Bulgaria. As her life is a wearing one she stipulates for handsome fees. They are often given ungrudgingly to her, and she is boarded and lodged as though she were a duchess when traveling with rich and delicate ladies. The lady courier is expected to be as well posted up as the man courier. The one I had the pleasure of talking with is sometimes employed to escort young ladies from one end of Europe to the other, and is sufficiently well born and educated to go with them, if need be, into society. She made a number of sea voyages as an assistant stewardess to make herself proof against seasickness, with which she is no longer troubled. One of her troubles is being expected, when she travels with dull persons of her own sex, to amuse them. As they only care for gossip, and like it to be ill natured, she backbites to their hearts' content. But to guard against the danger of mischief making she invents her characters. They do quite as well as if they were real. When she deals in eulogium she no longer draws on her imagination. A son-in-law of this useful person is a colonel. The halcyon days of this lady courier were when South American republics were being boomed on the stock exchanges and the money flowed in a steady stream to Buenos Ayres. The ladies who came thence to see life in Europe were indolent, spent freely the capital which their husbands found means of getting for the asking. They never quarreled with her for high charges, but she had to spare them every kind of trouble, and even that of choosing their confessors in cities where they were strangers. The lady courier I speak of is negotiating the purchase of a villa on Lake Como. She hopes soon to be rich enough to retire to live there.

INTERESTING OPERATIONS.

Feats of Surgery That Amount Almost to Miracles.

Of the many results of the rapid strides which science has made is the remarkable skill which medical men have brought to bear upon difficult and dangerous surgical operations. It was not many years ago when it was thought improper to attempt operations upon the human body, but the steady onward march of human progress has given surgeons such a knowledge of the human anatomy that they are now enabled to perform feats which formerly would have been credited to witchcraft and the black art, says the New York Herald.

At the annual meeting of the Welsh branch of the British Medical association Dr. Damar Harrison gave an account of an operation he had performed upon a boy, which he claimed to be unique.

The boy had the misfortune to cut his wrist with plate-glass, which caused him to lose all sense of feeling in the hand and was followed by complete paralysis. The lad's wrist was laid open and it was found that a portion of the nerve about two inches in length was entirely destroyed. A young cat was obtained and chloroformed and immediately after death the surgeon cut a nerve out of the hind leg. The nerve was then wrapped in a cloth soaked in warm carbolic lotion and afterward connected with what remained of the boy's nerve. The result was most gratifying. Sensation returned and the boy was cured.

An equally interesting and successful operation was performed upon a boy who had swallowed a fish-hook. He tried to release it by pulling upon the line, but it had become firmly attached in the lower and back part of the throat. A medical man was called in and he procured a pistol bullet and bored a hole through it. It was then allowed to slide down over the line to the hook. The weight of the bullet disloged the hook, which, sticking in the lead and being protected by it, was safely removed.

Half an Acre of Bloom.

It must take nearly half an acre of glass to cover the flowers of the white house conservatory. It keeps two men busy all the time to take care of it, and the finest of all kinds of flowers, from orchids to roses, are in bloom there. There are broad India rubber plants which are worth from fifty to one hundred dollars apiece, and there are some flowers which are absolutely worth their weight in gold. On the night of a white house dinner or reception the whole mansion is decorated with flowers, and at one state dinner not long ago there was a floral piece on the table which used eight thousand flowers in its making. At a dinner to the supreme court two thousand flowers were used to make a temple of justice, and at the last diplomatic reception the mantels of the parlors were banked up with flowers, and at another time they were covered with immense double tulips, rising out of banks of green.

The Vegetarian Fad.

The latest London fad is the vegetarian dinner, where people eat all sorts of imitations of fish, flesh and fowl, with nothing genuine about them. The Britons have suddenly taken to the notion that they eat too much meat, and propose to try something different. When it is remembered that the menu of Nebuchadnezzar was the best quality of meadow grass for seven years, it will be conceded that with some little variety a vegetarian cannot only live like a king, but a good deal better. Should the present habit of vegetarianism become settled over there it will have a tendency to make a better market for high-grade baled hay, for the use of the stall-fed nobility of the mother country.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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British Columbia Medical Council
Takes place in the City of Victoria, on
TUESDAY, THE 10 h DAY OF JANUARY NEXT
Commencing at 9 o'clock a.m.
G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
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TO THE PUBLIC!

Owing to various uncomplimentary remarks to Officers and Members of the Victoria Typographical Union relating to a Blasphemous Circular printed in the city during the late Presidential campaign, the Executive of the Union hereby publicly state that the aforesaid circular was not printed in any of the Union Offices in the city.

Signed,
EXECUTIVE V. T. U.
Victoria, Dec. 20, 1892. de22-12t

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December 19, 1893. de20

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Empress of Japan ..	Jan. 18, 1893	Feb. 6, "
Empress of China ..	Feb. 15, "	March 6, "
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10.15 a.m.	Lv	28	...	Seattle ...	82	Lv	3.00 a.m.
1.30 p.m.	Lv	72	Pt.	Townsend	38	Lv	11.45 p.m.
4.30 p.m.	Ar	110	..	Victoria! ..	M1	Lv	8.30 p.m.

PORT TOWNSFND MAIL ROUTE.

	Lv	M1				Ar	
11.00 p.m.	Lv	28	..	*Seattle ...	58	Ar	3.00 p.m.
12.30 a.m.	Lv	39	.	Pt. Madison.	47	Lv	2.10 p.m.
	Lv	45	..	Kingston ..	41	Lv	
3.00 a.m.	Lv	49	.	Pt. Gamble.	21	Lv	11.00 a.m.
4.00 a.m.	Lv	77	.	Pt. Ludlow.	13	Lv	10.00 a.m.
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1892.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, Dec. 31, 1892.

Sun rises .....7.53 a.m. | Sun sets .....4.14 p.m.
Moon sets 6.13 a. m.

Day of the year, 366th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Dec. 28, 1892.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m.,	40°	Mean 44°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	41°		
9 a. m.,	43°	Highest 48°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m.,	44°		1 p.m.—12 E.
5 p. m.,	46°	Lowest 39°	9 p.m.—20 S. W.
9 p. m.,	46°		
			Rain—1.25

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—R Stewart, R O Campbell, W W Purdy, M Crosowitch, J McMillan, W A Lewis, W J McClure, Jno McKeown, C McDonald and wife, J W Graff, Lem Roe, R Archer, C Butler, S A Wright, A Anderson, W Sims, D McKenzie, G Perley, J Shaw, J Seaton, J A Duncan, R Wharton, F T Way, Mrs Miller, Miss Ballinger, Mrs Hartney, Moy Ham, G Roe, L Yapsen, Jno Carver, A Olsen, Jno Anderson, Jno Thompson, H Wilson, G B Bow, Joseph Allen, Jos Bruce, J E Lightburn, Mrs Gibson, Gun Lee, N Harris, J McCann, Jno Beck, K Watt, Peter Scott, Jno Whyte, S N Hein, Mrs S M Jones, A B Kuhler, C Mullen, Mrs Howard, C A Racine, J M Galligon, Harry De Vere.

Per steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—W Millen, R Burns, A McQueen, W M Wood, Jas Cash, Mrs Hancel, Mrs Black, J R Bower, Mrs Chantrill, Geo North, Mrs W E Bailey, R Roberts, A E Elliott, Dr Jones, W H Bainbridge, J M Boyd, Mrs Dewdney and son, J E Bridgeman, Wm Fraser, W Bryce, Jas Hunter, Mrs Boyd, A E Stevens, J Gain, E A Jenns G S Dutcher, Wm Hudson, M Roberts, H Bourne, F Burritt, Miss A Webster, W Anderson, John Boyd.

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PERSONALS.

A. B. Keeler, Spokane, Wash., is at the Driard.

Capt. S. F. Scott, of Nanaimo, is at the Oriental.

Hon. C. F. Cornwall and daughter are in the city.

B. H. West, of Nanaimo, is a guest at the Hotel Victoria.

Mrs. Dewdney and son returned from the Mainland yesterday.

W. A. Lewis, Led Lodge, Mont., is a guest at the Driard.

Geo. A. Smith and wife, of Alberni, are among the guests at the Oriental.

A. S. McKenzie, wife and children arrived from the East last evening.

Will Alex. Rose, winner of the late plowing match, please call at this office.

W. H. Bainbridge and E. A. Jenns were among the Islander's passengers yesterday.

George Strachan and Chas. Williams, Winnipeg, are registered at the Hotel Victoria.

L. A. Wright, San Francisco, and H. J. Bourne, Revelstoke, are among the Driard guests.

A. McQueen, of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., came over from the Mainland last night.

Rupert Cox, of Maitland, N. S., has joined his brothers here with the intention of becoming a permanent resident.

Joseph Wriglesworth is again a candidate for a seat at the Council board as a representative of the Central ward.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Children's tea sets at Cheapside. *

Labor and money saved by using Pendray's Electric Soap. *

Tools for the boys at Cheapside. *

Xmas gifts in variety at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

A fine variety of china goods suitable for Xmas presents now on view and for sale cheap at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street. *

S THIS MARS'. IDEA?

Can the Planet's Lights Be Heliograph Signals to the Earth's Inhabitants?

Heliography is the name applied to the method of communicating between distant points in which usual signals are obtained by reflecting the rays of the sun from a mirror or combination of mirrors in the required direction.

The two instruments generally used in heliography are the heliograph and the heliotrope. The heliotrope is operated by hand, and it is the instrument which, in its more or less improved forms, according to the San Francisco Chronicle, is used by Prof. Davidson in coast survey work.

Heliotropes are usually placed upon a stand or table, and adjusted to the distant signal station by the sights over the uprights. The center ring is a trifle larger than one at the end, so that when the shadow of the center rim shows upon the rim of the outer ring, ing it and put it into a pint of cold water. After an hour the water will be found a refreshing drink and grateful to the stomach when no other can be taken.—N. Y. Herald.

POTATO SOUP.—Peel and slice half a dozen potatoes. Boil in small quantity of salted water, to which has been added a generous slice of butter. When soft, mash and add sufficient rich, sweet milk to form a thin soup. Add salt, pepper and rolled cracker crumbs. —Housekeeper.

TOMATO SAUCE FOR MEATS OR FISH.—Boil and strain a quart of tomatoes, either fresh or canned, thicken with two teaspoonfuls flour and a tablespoonful butter rubbed together; season with salt and pepper or cayenne, and serve hot. If the flavor of onions is relished, a small onion or part of one can be cooked with the tomato before it is strained.—Prairie Farmer.

Go to Morris', Colonist block, for pipes and cigar holders for Christmas presents. *

Large assortment of showy Xmas tree ornaments at Weiler Bros.

THEIR ANNUAL TREAT.

The Children of the Protestant Orphans Home Enjoy a Visit From Santa Claus.

Speeches by the Visitors, Songs and Recitations by the Children and General Happiness.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment in connection with the Protestant Orphans' Home was held last evening in the large dining room of the old building on Rae street—the last event of the kind likely to be held there, as by the time the holiday season comes round once more the new Home will probably be in use.

As on previous occasions, for many years, the chair was occupied by Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, of the Reformed Episcopal church. There were present a large number of ladies and gentlemen who take an interest and contribute to the support of the institution, among the latter being the President, F. H. Worlock, Messrs. A. B. Gray, Jas. Hutcheson and J. P. Burgess. The lady visitors and teachers occupied seats on one side of the room, and just across on the other side was the huge, prettily decorated tree in one corner, and the score of bright happy faces around it—a scene of pleasure and of mirth that will be long remembered by those who were present. There was nothing missing, nothing wanting, and nothing overdone. The little ones, under the guidance of their good matron, Mrs. Walker, had provided a mest excellent programme, and one and all deserve unbounded credit for the heartiness with which they worked to make the event so completely successful. The programme was as follows:

Christmas Carol. .....Children
Recitation.....Flora St. Clair
Recitation..... Catherine Smith
Christmas Carol.....Children
Recitation..... Louisa Christopher
Recitation..... Annie Phillips
Recitation..... Hannah Smith
Christmas Carol.....Children
Recitation.....Ada and Helen
Recitation..... Dolly Perkins
Christmas Carol.....Children
Recitation.....Arthur St. Clair
Recitation.....George Brown
Christmas Carol.....Children
Doxology and Benediction.

When all the numbers of the programme had been gone through except the last carol, the chairman called upon Mrs. Kent to distribute the presents and assisted by the teachers of the Home, she did so, delighting the hearts of the little ones by many gifts of toys and useful articles and candies. There was an abundance of everything—not too much, for that could hardly be, but enough to provide each with something, while a few of the more lucky ones got two presents.

When this had been done and before the last carol, the chairman called on Mr. Worlock, who made a neat speech congratulating the children on having spent a merry time, thanking them for the entertainment and finally proposing three cheers for the friends and donors. The little ones responded with a will. Afterwards Messrs. Gray and Hutcheson made short and suitable speeches.

In responding to the thanks of the Board conveyed through Mr. Worlock, the chairman recalled the occasion some twenty years ago, when the proposition had first been made to establish the Home and after very little talk, it was done. Since then it had grown and prospered, and in course of another year would get another advance when the new building would be in use.

The entertainment was brought to a close by the singing of another carol, the doxology and the pronouncing of the benediction by the Bishop. The ladies of the institution, during the evening, served light refreshment. Everyone had a jolly time, and many little hearts are cheered and made happy by the effort put forward by the friends of the Home.

Mixed Relations.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer says Justice Neagle's court was the scene, on Wednesday morning, of a hearing in which the original charge was almost lost in the complexity of the matrimonial interests developed. Mrs. Emma Lamont had Mrs. Lizzie Daniels arrested Tuesday for throwing stones at her house on University street, and before the hearing had gone far yesterday in court it became apparent that Fred Daniels was the husband of one, or both or neither. Daniels, whose name the defendant bears, married Mrs. Lamont some time ago, but they did not agree, and a divorce was obtained from Judge Lichtenberg last June, and within a short time after Daniels' divorced wife married a man named Lamont in Victoria. Daniels, not to be behind, married the woman who now goes as Mrs. Lizzie Daniels. Since the last two marriages, Daniels has visited his divorced wife, known as Mrs. Lamont, by permission of the court, to see his children. In the face of the mixture of matrimonial relations, Daniels was called as a witness and objected to as being the husband of Mrs. Daniels. The justice held that, as he was legally divorced from his first wife, Mrs. Lamont, and had married the woman known as Mrs. Daniels before the expiration of the six months limitation, he was not the husband of either, and could testify. In the same connection he held that the marriage of Daniels' divorced wife to Lamont in Victoria, being within the six months' limitation, was also null and void. On this point the Justice held that the contracting parties did not avoid the laws of Washington by going to Victoria. Summing the matter up, there appears to have been one legal marriage, one legal divorce, one illegal marriage in Seattle and one in Victoria.

Trade With Hawaii.

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 30.—The Chamber of Commerce here has passed a resolution heartily endorsing the project to run a line of steamers between the Sound and the Hawaiian Islands, and has published a statement prepared by Hawaiian Consul James G. Swan, showing that during 1891 goods to the value of over two million dollars were imported from San Francisco to Honolulu, not including butter, cheese and various kinds of fruit.

Strange Murder Case.

BRINKLEY, Ark., Dec. 29.—One of the strangest murder cases ever brought to light in Eastern Arkansas is the one in which John Thomas, a 13-year-old boy, is charged with the murder of his mother on Monday in the dark country neighborhood south of this place. The boy is apparently of sound mind, and when he acknowledged the murder he gave as his reason that she got the gun and gave it to him and compelled him to shoot her under the threat that she would shoot him if he did not do so. Medical experts believe the boy is sane and that his story is correct.

GETTING A PLACE.

A Consideration for the Young Men the Bottom of the Ladder.

There is hardly a large establishment of any kind, whether it be a newspaper office, a manufactory, or a trade establishment, that has not applications constantly from young men who want something to do. It is often painful to see the hopeless look upon the applicants' faces as they turn away disappointed; and the scene becomes the more painful when it is reflected that many of them doubtless have capacity for remunerative work, and would faithfully attend to it if they had the chance.

The truth is that the world is slow to take any man entirely on trust. The greatest singers, the greatest painters, the greatest writers have had to convince the world that it had need of them before it was willing to give them a subsistence. So true is it that it might almost be laid down as an axiom of success that it is only to be won by a hard struggle. It takes the attrition of poverty to bring out what is brightest in a man. It may be a hardship, but it seems to be a law of the social economy, and, being a law, it must have justice and compensation in it somewhere.

The question of "getting a position" resolves itself into two grand essentials—first, proficiency of some sort, which stands for dollars and cents in the world's market place, and next, tact to demonstrate this proficiency in a way to attract the world's attention.

It is a mistake to depend on "influence" to get work in a legitimate calling; influence belongs more properly to the domain of politics. As a rule, too, it is a mistake to ask or to expect employment on the ground of charity—not that charity and business are incompatible, but that each should stand on its own bottom. The best recommendation is a sample of your work; that, with a frank address and neatness of appearance—for "the apparel oft proclaims the man"—may often prove the "open sesame" to success.

While it is good to have a due appreciation of one's abilities, it is not good to be too exacting as to the field for their display. The distance between the foot of a ladder and the top is but a short span to him who has within himself the power of rising.—Philadelphia Ledger.

RUSSIANS AND RELIGION.

Official Zeal and Peasant Worship in the Empire of the Czar.

We find the singular anomaly of a government apparently full of zeal (officially) for the propagation of one form of faith among its subjects, and for the suppression of all other forms, while the individual members of that government are notoriously indifferent to religion, and the people in the main, except the peasantry, no less so. And, again, there exists in Russia a priesthood, in numbers the most numerous, but in capacity the least efficient in the world.

I confess that I have never seen any religion which seemed to me so unreal, so artificial, and so little reverent as that of the Russian church; but is it wonderful, with so poor a standard of clergy? The churches are often full, generally with the peasant class, and they, at least, are earnestly bent on prostrations and what they believe to be worship. These peasants are intensely superstitious. But of the higher classes, who have to some extent cast out superstition and replaced it with indifference, who stroll in and out of church as part of their promenade, pose and cross themselves, and look about eying everything as if out in the street, what can one think? The men, however, don't often go, and when they do stay but a few minutes. Still, it is strange to see a man ostentatiously and repeatedly crossing himself, and all the while looking sideways at you and others, with an expression of lively interest in your dress or general appearance.

There are no seats in a Russian church; you walk about, stand or lie prostrate. There is never any organ or other instrumental music, but often excellent choirs, and some members of the choir are generally singing something. The singing is indeed a redeeming point; it is often very beautiful. The Russian has a natural aptitude for part singing; the soldier, the peasant, the student, all form themselves into part singers, and generally with excellent effect, wherever any number are gathered together. But in instrumental music they are no better than ourselves.—Cornhill Magazine.

Fashion Makes Women Cosmopolite.

A young lady who had traveled in Finland, and who had a dear friend there, asked, out of curiosity, in a letter which she wrote to her friend last summer, what the Finnish girls were wearing, and received an answer to this effect: "The girls in Finland have a very pretty costume this year. It consists of a blue serge skirt and blazer, a silk shirt and broad-brimmed sailor hat. Many, many girls wear this costume; I see them in it, passing in front of the house, as I write." The American girl smiled. What a commentary on the universality of fashions at the end of the nineteenth century. Undoubtedly the girls in the state of Washington and the colony of British Columbia and in Honolulu and Melbourne were wearing the same blue suits and sailor hats that the girls in Helsingfors and St. Petersburg were; and when they got out of a car probably they smoothed them down at the small of the back with the back of one hand in exactly the same way. That movement, by the way, is the most universal and characteristic gesture of the woman of the present day; it is much more habitual even than sitting on the foot, or putting both hands at the back of the head to see if the hair is coming down.—Boston Transcript.

Talking Shop.

Mr. Editor—Where's Tommy?

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4613	264	4350	216
4175	1758	47	1589
2816	2844	854	1315
3114	2279	1464	3958
4244	1725	969	1084
1495	4450	639	2670
2019	4303	1638	561
3138	2936	3708	1161
274	2889	109	2340
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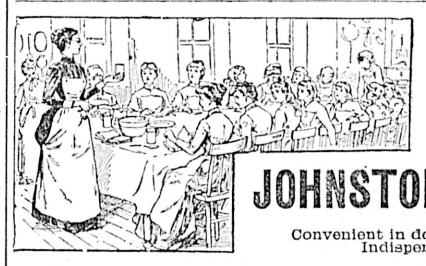

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JOHN HALL.
Niagara Street, Dec. 22nd, 1892. dec23-tf

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de25 THOMAS SHAW.

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